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## Think Spring!

Planning for Alumni Weekend '95 is well underway.

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## Before and after

**L**oft building and loft living is both a science and an art, as is demonstrated in the pair of photos at right.



**1. Before**

During the initial hours of moving-in day in late August, the Gilmore Hall room pictured is a blank canvas awaiting its new residents' personal touch. Fathers Dwight Goodin of Rochester Hills, Mich., and Dennis Heinrich of Plymouth, Mich., have come well-prepared to install a well-engineered and sturdy loft for daughters Lisa and Kirsten, both new Hope College freshmen. Their operation boasts a respectable assortment of tools, including a power drill and saw.



**2. After**

By finals week in mid-December, Lisa and Kirsten have had nearly four months to settle into the space and make it their own: wall-to-wall carpet on the floor; a refrigerator and storage racks along the north wall (and a couch along the south); the loft doing extra duty as a storage rack; and even Christmas lights in honor of the approaching holidays. Form and function are in sync, making the most of the space while also making it their own.

## "Quote, unquote"

**Q**uote, unquote is an eclectic sampling of things said at and about Hope College.

Dr. Robert Donia '67, co-author of the book *Bosnia and Herzegovina: A Tradition Betrayed*, gave a talk of the same title at Hope on Tuesday, Nov. 4. An expert on Balkan history, he had his first experience with the region as a Hope student, while participating in the Great Lakes Colleges Association's Yugoslavia program, and later studied there as a Fulbright research scholar. He had visited war-ravaged Bosnia in August.

The tradition that has been betrayed, Dr. Donia explains, is Bosnia's centuries-long history of multi-ethnic toleration.

"This really is not a civil war. It's a war against civil society. And while some people would characterize it as an ethnic war, I think that's only partially correct. It is perhaps more accurate to characterize it as a war of nationalist extremists designed to wipe out multi-ethnic pluralism.

"When I started writing the book, it was really my opinion that the worst myths that had to be combatted in this war were going to be those of the Serbian and Croatian and Muslim propagandists who were seeking to make this war into something that I don't think it was. But I discovered something that I think was even more insidious, and it really came from policy makers, principally Western policy makers, who were trying to find a reason not to get involved in the Bosnian situation.

"And that myth runs something like this: 'These people have been killing each other for centuries. It's a religious war. People have had these religious affiliations forever. It's a civil war. It's a war of factions fighting one another. We have experienced centuries of tribal slaughter and mutual ethnic hatred.'

"And this simply did not resonate with the Bosnia that I had come to know living there, nor with the Bosnia that I had come to know as a historian.

"Now, I don't want to minimize the extent to which ethnic identification serves as a source of pride, personal identity, political participation and even political contention. But with a few very significant exceptions, what you see in Bosnia over the centuries is nothing like what's described in that myth...

"If you think about it, [the myth] is a way of backing one's way into indifference and passivity in the face of genocidal policies. One invents—imputes—a history to the area and assumes that these killings have been going on for centuries. The natural conclusion, then, is that these ancient hatreds are deeply imbedded in the character of the south Slavs: 'Continued killing is inevitable.'...

"No review of Bosnian history can come to this conclusion. Bosnia has had a state, some form of administrative entity, that dates back over 800 years. It was of course at the fault line between the Orthodox and Catholic worlds at the time the Bosnian state arose, and consequently its population was partly Catholic, partly Orthodox—and then after the arrival of the Ottomans in the 15th century, part of the population also became Muslim...

"Perhaps our greatest failure as a nation—as Americans—and our greatest failure collectively—has been to tar the Bosnian government with the label of an emerging Muslim mini-state. Unfortunately, this has the quality of a self-fulfilling prophecy. And if there's one thing that really deeply concerns me right now about what's going on in Bosnia, it is this failure to encourage and recognize and support the multi-ethnic pluralism of Bosnian society. Failure to do that may in fact lead us down the path that we least likely would like to go down—and that is to see the emergence of these ethnic mini-states within that theatre of the Balkans." ✍



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### On the cover

Planning for Alumni Weekend '95 and the reunions of the Classes of '35, '40, '45, '50, '55, '60, '65, '70, '75 and '80 (the last of which will hold its reunion in the fall) began with a retreat in the spring of '94. Pictured during a sunny May afternoon are members of the classes' planning committees and college staff. More than 700 alumni are expected to participate in Alumni Weekend, which will run Friday through Sunday, May 5-7. Complete reunion details will be mailed to the reunion classes in March.

At top center, Sally Voogd of Holland, Mich., prepares a cake through program at Third Reformed Church that helps out-of-town families celebrate their student's birthday with a homemade treat. Please see page seven for more.

At top right is Ryan Benmink '95 of Holt, Mich., who was one of only 40 students nationwide awarded a prestigious British Marshall Scholarship this year. Please see the story on page three for more.

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**COMPUTER COMPETITORS:** A student computer programming team from Hope earned the college's highest finish in 14 years during the East Central Regional Intercollegiate Programming Competition, which this year was held on Saturday, Nov. 12, in Waterloo, Ontario.

A total of 80 teams, including two from Hope, participated in the competition, which is sponsored by the Association of Computing Machinery.

The "A" team from Hope finished 13th among the 80 teams by successfully solving five of the eight problems posed. The team finished second only to Michigan State University among 16 teams competing from Michigan, and second only to Oberlin College of Ohio out of 34 teams from undergraduate institutions. Among four teams entered from MIAA institutions, the Hope "A" team finished first.

The members of the Hope College "A" team were: Mike Crider, a junior from Muskegon, Mich.; Ben Marty, a junior from Holland, Mich.; and Boris Gelfand, a senior from Holland, Mich.

**ADVANCEMENT ADDITION:** Ellen Winter '83 Bolline has joined the staff of Hope College as a regional advancement director.

She had previously been a second vice president with Michigan National Bank in Grand Rapids. She had been with Michigan National Bank since 1992, and was with Old Kent Bank-Southwest from 1983 to 1992.

As a member of the college's advancement staff, she is responsible for the college's fund-raising efforts in a region that includes Grand Rapids, Midland and Detroit.



Ellen Winter Bolline

## FACULTY KUDOS

**Barry Bandstra** of the religion faculty has had his book *Reading the Old Testament: An Introduction to the Hebrew Bible* published by Wordsworth Publishing Company of Belmont, Calif.

The book is designed to provide modern readers with tools to explore and interpret the ancient text. Along with historical and literary introductions for each book of the Old Testament, Dr. Bandstra includes biblical passages with running commentaries.

*Reading the Old Testament: An Introduction to the Hebrew Bible* is divided into three sections: Torah, Prophets and Writings. Appendices include a glossary of names and terms, and additional resources for Old Testament Study.

**C. Baars Bultman '71** and **Nancy L. Cook**, both associate professors of education, made presentations on programs at the college during the American Association of Higher Education's Fifth National Conference on School/College Collaboration, which was held in Washington, D.C., on Thursday through Saturday, Nov. 17-20.

The conference focused on ways in which local schools and colleges or universities work together. There were more than 600 participants, primarily educators at the K-12 and college levels.

The first presentation featured the college's "Half-Time Professor" (HTP)

# Student wins Marshall

## Events and lives touch others in unexpected ways.

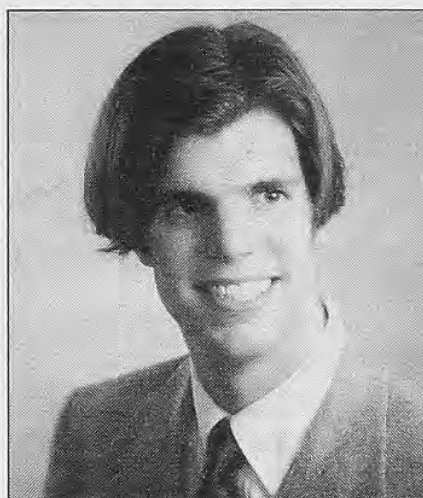
It was big news at Hope College when senior Dan Stid '87 received a prestigious Rhodes Scholarship in December of 1986 for study in England beginning the next fall. Only 32 of the highly competitive awards were presented nationwide, and he was the college's first recipient in decades.

The news was also big in his hometown of Mason, Mich., particularly at his old school. And it was in that school that a young eighth grader, Ryan Bennink, heard of Stid's success. Heard, and remembered.

"I remember all my teachers saying, 'Oh, Dan Stid—he was such a good student; I remember him,'" he said. "It was kind of amazing to me just how proud the community was."

"And I remember thinking at the time, 'Gee, I wonder if I'll try for that someday,'" Bennink said. "From as early as then that was something that was at the back of my mind as something to shoot for."

Shoot for it he did, and soon he will be traveling to England on a prestigious scholarship. Now a Hope senior himself, Bennink has received a British Marshall Scholarship, one of only 40 presented



Ryan Bennink

and Marshall scholars during the same period, only 23 (including institutions like Harvard, Yale and MIT) produced more.

"This is one of the most prestigious awards that a graduating college student can receive," said Dr. John H. Jacobson, president of Hope College. "It is a great honor to Ryan Bennink and a testimony to his well-rounded academic capability—and an honor, too, to Hope College."

The British Marshall Scholarship program was established by the British government in 1953 as a way of recognizing the United States' role in Europe's recovery following World War II.

**"Ryan's breadth and ability to do the entire package is probably the best I've ever seen."**

— Dr. Ned Rouze, associate professor of physics and chair of the department

annually to undergraduate students from throughout the United States.

It is the third time in five years that a Hope student has been granted one of the highly-competitive awards. Michael Theune '92 and Heidi Hudson-Mairet '91 also received the scholarships.

Only two small colleges (fewer than 4,000 students) in the nation have had more Rhodes and Marshall scholars since 1987 (when Stid began his program in Oxford), with five each, and only two others have had as many as Hope. Of the 50 large institutions to produce Rhodes

Designed for citizens of the United States who are graduates of U.S. colleges and universities, British Marshall Scholarships may be used at any British university, and are of two-year duration.

According to Dr. William Cohen, a member of the Hope history faculty who advises students applying for the Rhodes and Marshall scholarships, while the Marshall is not as well known as the Rhodes, it has the advantage of allowing recipients to choose any school in England rather than being restricted to Oxford. A total of 800 candidates, all maintaining

above an A- average, applied for Marshall scholarships this year.

Bennink is the son of Maurice and Marilyn Bennink of Holt, and is a 1991 graduate of Mason High School. He is majoring in physics and mathematics, and will attend King's College of the University of London through his scholarship, for a B.Sc. degree in physics of information technology. His hope is to pursue a career in research.

His faculty advisor, Dr. Ned Rouze, believes that Bennink will excel as he pursues his future.

"Ryan's breadth and ability to do the entire package is probably the best I've ever seen," said Dr. Rouze, who is an associate professor of physics and chairperson of the department. "He has tremendous talents in a wide range of areas, and always seems able to do whatever task is put in front of him."

"I have no doubt that he'll do an excellent job wherever he decides to go," he said.

Bennink's versatility has already received recognition. During his first year at Hope, he received freshman awards in chemistry, history and physics. In 1993 he received the college's Sophomore Award in mathematics. He has been named to the Dean's List during every semester of his Hope career.

He has also been involved in a variety of activities outside the classroom. A musician, he has participated in the college's Jazz Ensemble and Symphony Band, in addition to competing in the college's All-College Sing and performing as a guitarist with a local rock group. He is active in the Kinships Christian Fellowship, played intramural basketball and is involved in the college's Society of Physics Students.

His work in the department of physics has also included conducting collaborative research with two members of the faculty—first with Dr. Peter Jolivet in experimental nuclear physics; later with Dr. Catherine Mader in theoretical nuclear physics. In April of 1994 he gave an oral report on his research with Dr. Jolivet, during the National Conference on Undergraduate Research.

While a dedicated physicist, he is also able to take a light-hearted look at his discipline. His "Symmetry Breaking Mechanisms in Closed Laundry Loads" is a tongue-in-cheek "scholarly" examination of why socks disappear in the wash.

program, through which Professors Bultman and Cook both work with local school districts while also serving on the college's education faculty half-time. The other concerned a faculty-student research project conducted with St. Francis de Sales Elementary School in Holland.

**James Herrick** of the communication faculty has written a textbook designed to help students think critically about both the way others try to convince them and the way they try to convince others. *Argumentation: Understanding and Shaping Arguments*, is being published by Gorsuch Scarisbrick Publishers of Scottsdale, Ariz.

The book explores the qualities that make an argument reasonable, the attitudes of reasonable people, the ethics of argument, the many types of arguments that are possible and the ways of evaluating each type. *Argumentation: Understanding and Shaping Arguments* also considers evidence and where to find it, constructing a convincing argumentative case, and the clear and effective use of language.

Dr. Herrick believes that the book's principles apply as well to friends' discussions of personal preferences as they do to political debates concerned with issues of national and international importance.

**George Ralph**, professor of theatre, has recently had haiku accepted by two volumes published in Japan.

He is one of 50 poets writing in English to have had a haiku selected for inclusion in the 48th annual volume of the *Basho Festival Dedicatory Anthology*. This is the first year in the history of the publication that poets writing haiku in a language other than Japanese have been included in the collection.

Haiku by Dr. Ralph will also appear in *The Haiku Season*, to be published by Kodansha Press. The collection is organized to illustrate the use of season words in the centuries-old poetic art form.



# Events

## Academic Calendar

### Spring Semester (1995)

March 16, Thursday—Spring Recess begins, 6 p.m.  
 March 27, Monday—Spring Recess ends, 8 a.m.  
 April 10-14, Monday-Friday—Registration for Fall Semester, 1995-96  
 April 14, Friday—Good Friday, classes not in session  
 April 27, Thursday—Honors Convocation, 8 p.m.  
 April 28, Friday—Spring Festival, classes dismissed at 1 p.m.  
 May 1-5, Monday-Friday—Semester examinations  
 May 5, Friday—Residence halls close for those not participating in Commencement, 5 p.m.  
 May 6, Saturday—Alumni Day  
 May 7, Sunday—Baccalaureate and Commencement  
 May 7, Sunday—Residence halls close for graduating seniors, 7 p.m.

## Admissions

**Campus Visits:** The Admissions Office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays. Tours and admissions interviews are available. Appointments are recommended.

**Visitation Days** offer specific programs for prospective students, including transfers and high school juniors and seniors. The programs show students and their parents a typical day in the life of a Hope student. The final date this year is Friday, March 3.

**Junior Days:** Friday, April 7, and Friday, April 21

**Senior Day:** Saturday, April 8 (for admitted members of the Class of 1999)

**Pre-Professional Day:** Friday, May 19

For further information about any Admissions Office event, please call (616) 395-7850, or toll free 1-800-968-7850 or write: Hope College Admissions Office, 69 E. 10th St., PO Box 9000, Holland, MI; 49422-9000.

## Knickerbocker Theatre

### Downtown Holland at 86 East Eighth Street

The Knickerbocker Theatre, open Monday through Saturday, features a variety of art, foreign and classic films, and a number of live events.

Admission to the theatre's films costs \$4.50 for adults and \$3.50 for senior citizens and Hope College students. For more information on programs and films at the Knickerbocker, please call (616) 395-4950.

## Theatre

**All's Well That Ends Well**—Feb. 17, 18, 22-25

**Dancing at Lughnasa**—April 19-22

Tickets are \$7 for regular adult admission, \$5 for Hope faculty and staff, and \$4 for students and senior citizens. Tickets are available two weeks prior to each show's opening. Additional information may be obtained by calling the theatre ticket office at (616) 395-7890. The office's hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and from noon until 5 p.m. on Saturday.

## DePree Gallery

**"META/PHYSICS: Crossing Boundaries in Contemporary Photography"**—Through Feb. 28

Curated by Steve Nelson

**"Senior Show"**—April 7-May 7

The work of graduating seniors.

The gallery's hours are: Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; and Sunday, 1-10 p.m. Admission is free.

## Visiting Writers Series

Chaim Potok—Wednesday, March 15: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m.

Ethan Canin—Monday, April 10: Maas Center auditorium, 7 p.m.

Admission to the readings is free.

## Dance

**Dance 21**—Thursday-Saturday, March 9-11: DeWitt Center main theatre, 8 p.m. Tickets are \$5, and reservations may be made by calling the theatre ticket office at (616) 395-7890 beginning in mid February. The theatre ticket office is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and from noon until 5 p.m. on Saturday.

**Contemporary Motions**—Friday-Saturday, March 31-April 1: Knickerbocker Theatre, 8 p.m. Tickets are \$4 and will be available at the door.

# Showcasing the best!

The fast-moving Musical Showcase, now in its seventh year, will feature all of the college's major musical groups and many small ones.

## Musical Showcase

Monday,  
March 6

DeVos Hall,  
Grand Rapids



For ticket information, please call the Office of Public and Alumni Relations at (616) 395-7860.

## Music

**Guest Artist**—Monday, Feb. 27: Michael Budewitz, organist, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Student Recital**—Thursday, March 2: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 7 p.m. Admission is free.

**Hope College Orchestra Concert**—Friday, March 3: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Senior Recital**—Saturday, March 4: Carl Haan, pianist, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Musical Showcase**—Monday, March 6: An annual collage concert, featuring all of Hope College's major music ensembles and many smaller ones, at DeVos Hall in Grand Rapids, 8 p.m. Ticket information may be obtained by calling the college's Office of Public and Alumni Relations at (616) 395-7860.

**Faculty Recital**—Friday, March 10: Laura Floyd, soprano, and Joan Conway, pianist, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Great Performance Series**—Saturday, March 11: Markham & Broadway, Duo-Pianists, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Tickets cost \$12.50 for regular adult admission, \$10 for senior citizens and \$6 for students.

**Hope College Faculty Recital Series**—Sunday, March 12: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 4 p.m. Admission is free.

**Junior Recital**—Tuesday, March 14: Sara Ter Beek, soprano, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 5 p.m.

**Faculty Recital**—Wednesday, March 15: Edward Mallett, euphonium, and Jun Okada, piano, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Senior Recital**—Monday, March 27: Lynda Hakken, organist, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Faculty Recital**—Tuesday, March 28: Christopher Kantner, flutist, and Joan Conway, pianist, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Student Chamber Music Concert**—Friday, March 31: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Collegium Spring Concert**—Saturday, April 1: Holland Museum, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Please call (616) 395-7650 for ticket information.

**"Rising to the Occasion, An Improvisation Workshop"**—Saturday, April 1: An all-day workshop with Philip Gehring, professor emeritus at Valparaiso University, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Please call (616) 395-7650 for ticket information.

**Hope College Chapel Choir Home Concert**—Sunday, April 2: Following the choir's annual spring tour, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Jazz Chamber Ensemble**—Tuesday, April 4: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Junior Recital**—Thursday, April 6: Theresa Deer, mezzo soprano, and Manohar Joshi, tenor, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 5:30 p.m. Admission is free.

**Great Performance Series**—Friday, April 7: Maynard Ferguson and His Big Bop Nouveau Band, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Tickets cost \$12.50 for regular adult admission, \$10 for senior citizens and \$6 for students.

**Hope College Chapel Choir**—Saturday, April 8: the Basilica of St. Adalbert, 654 Davis NW in Grand Rapids, Mich., 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Hope College Faculty Recital Series**—Sunday, April 9: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 4 p.m. Admission is free.

**Hope College Symphony Band Concert**—Tuesday, April 11: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Student Recital**—Thursday, April 13: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, Hope College, 7 p.m. Admission is free.

**Alumni Recital**—Monday, April 17: Mary Alice Smith '89 Bright, soprano, and David Bright '89, pianist, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

**Jazz Ensemble and Jazz Chamber Ensemble**—Tuesday, April 18: 84 East, Pasta, Etc. (84 E. Eighth Street, Holland, Mich.), 8:30 p.m. Admission is free.

**Gospel Choir Concert**—Wednesday, April 19: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

## Alumni & Friends

### Regional Events

**Grand Rapids, Mich.** - Thursday, Feb. 23

After-hours reception at the Peninsular Club, with new football coach Dean Kreps

**Phoenix Ariz.** - Sunday, March 12

Regional gathering

**Minneapolis, Minn.** - Monday, March 13

Regional event featuring Dr. David Myers of the psychology faculty

**Detroit, Mich., area**—Sunday, April 2

A gathering with former football coach Ray Smith

**Winter Happening**—Saturday, Feb. 18

**Musical Showcase**—Monday, March 6

**Alumni Weekend**—Friday-Sunday, May 5-7

**Alumni and Friends Tour of Australia**—May 22-June 10

Organized by MTA Travel of Holland, Mich., and led by Joseph MacDoniels of the communication faculty and his wife Rose, the tour will include Sydney, Ayers Rock, the Great Barrier Reef and more. Call MTA Travel at 1-800-682-0086.

**Alumni Tour of Greece and the Greek Islands**—May 27-June 11

Led by Provost Jacob Nyenhuis and his wife Leona, this highly-regarded tour is limited to 16 participants. Write Jack at Hope College or call (616) 395-7785

For additional information concerning alumni events, please call the Office of Public and Alumni Relations at (616) 395-7860.

## Traditional Events

**Honors Convocation**—Thursday, April 27, 8 p.m.

**Baccalaureate and Commencement**—Sunday, May 7

## Instant Information

**Hope Sports Hotline**—(616) 395-7888

**Activities Information**—(616) 395-7863



# Events

## Chapel Choir Tour

Thursday, March 16—Chicago, Ill., area church, TBA  
 Friday, March 17—Los Angeles, Calif., area, TBA  
 Saturday, March 18—Canyon Lake (Calif.) Community Church  
 Sunday, March 19—Crystal Cathedral, Garden Grove, Calif.  
 Tuesday, March 21—First Presbyterian Church of Monterey, Calif.  
 Wednesday, March 22—Church of the Wayfarer, Carmel, Calif.  
 Wednesday, March 22—Church of the Chimes, San Jose, Calif.  
 Friday, March 24—Fremont Presbyterian Church, Sacramento, Calif., area, TBA  
 Saturday, March 25—Hickory Hills (Ill.) Presbyterian Church  
 Sunday, March 26—St. Paul's United Church of Christ, Chicago, Ill.  
 Sunday, March 26—Holy Name Cathedral, Chicago, Ill.

## Symphonette Tour

Friday, March 17—Resurrection Reformed Church, Flint, Mich.  
 Saturday, March 18—Brighton Reformed Church, Rochester, N.Y.  
 Sunday, March 19—Johnstown Reformed Church, Johnstown, N.Y.  
 Monday, March 20—Lishas Kill Reformed Church, Schenectady, N.Y.  
 Tuesday, March 21—New Hurley Reformed Church (concert in Walkill High School), Walkill, N.Y.  
 Thursday, March 23—Addisville Reformed Church, Richboro, Pa.  
 Friday, March 24—Solon United Methodist Church, Solon, Ohio

## Women's Tennis

Head Coach: Kathy Van Tubbergen  
 Indoor Season

Fri., Feb. 17.....FERRIS, 4 p.m.  
 Fri., Feb. 24.....AQUINAS, 4 p.m.  
 Indoor matches played at DeWitt Tennis Center on Hope College campus

### Spring Trip

Mon., March 20.....Carleton, Minn., noon  
 Tues., March 21.....Smith, N.C., TBA  
 Wed., March 22.....Amherst, Mass., 4 p.m.  
 Thurs., March 23.....John Hopkins, Md., 8 a.m.  
 Fri., March 24.....Wooster, Ohio, 8 a.m.  
 Matches played in Hilton Head, S.C.

### Regular Season

Tues., March 28.....\*at Kalamazoo, 3 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., March 31-April 1..GLCA TOURNAMENT AT HOPE  
 Wed., April 5.....\*ALMA, 3 p.m.  
 Thurs., April 6.....at St. Mary's, Ind., 3 p.m., CDT  
 Sat., April 8.....\*at Adrian, 1 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., April 14-15..at Midwest Invitational, Madison, Wisc.  
 Tues., April 18.....\*OLIVET, 3 p.m.  
 Sat., April 22.....\*ALBION, 1 p.m.  
 Wed., April 26.....\*at Calvin, 3 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., May 5-6.....MIAA Tournament at Kalamazoo  
 Tues.-Mon., May 9-15.....NCAA Nationals at Kalamazoo  
 \*MIAA Match  
 Home matches played at 13th Street and Columbia Ave.

## Men's Tennis

Head Coach: Steve Gorno  
 Indoor Season

Sat., Feb. 4.....WAYNE STATE, 2 p.m.  
 Sat., Feb. 18.....WABASH, IND., 2 p.m.  
 Tues., March 14.....GRAND VALLEY, 7 p.m.  
 Indoor matches played at DeWitt Tennis Center on Hope College campus

### Spring Trip

Mon., March 20.....Low Country CC, noon  
 Wed., March 22.....St. Thomas, Minn., noon  
 Fri., March 24.....Amherst, Mass., noon  
 Fri., March 24.....Kutztown, Pa., 4 p.m.  
 Matches played in Hilton Head, S.C.

### Regular Season

Tues., April 4.....\*KALAMAZOO, 3 p.m.  
 Wed., April 5.....\*at Alma, 3 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., April 7-8.....GLCA TOURNAMENT AT HOPE  
 Tues., April 18.....\*at Olivet, 3 p.m.  
 Sat., April 22.....\*at Albion, 1 p.m.  
 Wed., April 26.....\*CALVIN, 3 p.m.  
 Sat., April 29.....\*ADRIAN, 1 p.m.  
 Wed., May 3.....at Aquinas, 3 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., May 5-6.....MIAA Tournament at Alma  
 Mon.-Mon., May 15-22.....NCAA Nationals at Kalamazoo  
 \*MIAA Match  
 Home matches played at 13th Street and Columbia Ave.



The Symphonette will travel east this spring.

## Baseball

Head Coach: Stuart Fritz  
 Spring Trip

Fri., March 17.....at Maryville, Tenn., 1 p.m.  
 Sat., March 18.....at Emory, Atlanta, Ga., 1 p.m.  
 Additional games TBA.

### Regular Season

Tues., March 28.....ELMHURST, ILL., 4 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., March 31-April 1.....\*at Olivet, 4 p.m., 1 p.m.  
 Tues., April 4.....GRAND VALLEY, 4 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., April 7-8.....\*at Alma, 4 p.m., 1 p.m.  
 Tues., April 11.....at Aquinas, 4 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., April 14-15.....\*KALAMAZOO, 4 p.m., 1 p.m.  
 Tues., April 18.....at Grand Valley, 4 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., April 21-22.....\*at Albion, 4 p.m., 1 p.m.  
 Tues., April 25.....AQUINAS, 4 p.m.  
 Fri., April 28.....\*at Cornerstone, 3 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., May 5-6.....\*ADRIAN, 4 p.m., 1 p.m.  
 Tues.-Wed., May 9-10.....\*CALVIN, 4 p.m., 3 p.m.  
 Wed.-Sun., May 17-21.....NCAA Regional Tournaments  
 Thurs.-Tues., May 25-May 30.....NCAA Finals at Salem, Va.  
 †Doubleheader  
 \*MIAA Tripleheader (one game on first day and two games on second day)  
 Home games played at Ekdal J. Buys Athletic Field located at 13th St. and Fairbanks Ave.

## Softball

Head Coach: Karla Hoesch '73 Wolters  
 Spring Trip

Mon., March 20.....#Baldwin Wallace, Ohio, 9 a.m.  
 #Wis.-Stevens Point, 12:30 p.m.  
 Tues., March 21.....#Mt. Vernon, Ohio, 12:30 p.m.  
 #William Patterson, N.J., 2:15 p.m.  
 Wed., March 22.....#Manchester, Ind., 9 a.m.  
 #North Adams, Ma., 10:45 a.m.  
 Thurs., March 23.....#Muskingum, Ohio, 9 a.m.  
 #Hamline, Minn., 4 p.m.  
 Sat., March 25.....Spring Arbor at Polk City, Fla., 11 a.m.  
 #Games played in Ocoee, Fla.

### Regular Season

Wed., March 29.....\*ALBION, 3 p.m.  
 Sat., April 1.....\*at Kalamazoo, 1 p.m.  
 Wed., April 5.....at St. Mary's, Ind., 3:30 p.m. CDT  
 Sat., April 8.....\*ALMA, 1 p.m.  
 Tues., April 11.....\*at Adrian, 3:30 p.m.  
 Thurs., April 13.....at Ferris, 3:30 p.m.  
 Tues., April 18.....\*OLIVET, 3:30 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., April 21-22.....at Augustana Tournament  
 Thurs., April 27.....\*at Calvin, 3:30 p.m.  
 Sat., April 29.....ALUMNAE, 11 a.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., May 5-6.....MIAA Tournament at Battle Creek  
 Thurs.-Sat., May 11-13.....NCAA Regional Tournaments  
 Thurs.-Sun., May 18-21.....NCAA Finals at Storm Lake, Iowa  
 \*MIAA Doubleheader  
 Home games played at Ekdal J. Buys Athletic Fields located at 13th St. and Fairbanks Ave.

## Men's Track

Head Coach: Mark Northuis '82  
 Indoor

Fri., Feb. 10.....at Grand Valley Invitational, 3 p.m.  
 Spring Trip  
 Sat., March 18.....at Auburn Invitational, Ala., 10 a.m.  
 Sat., March 25.....at Emory Invitational, Ga., 10 a.m.

### Outdoor

Sat., April 1.....HOPE INVITATIONAL, noon  
 Grand Valley, Ferris, Aquinas and  
 Southwest Michigan Community College  
 Sat., April 8.....at Grand Valley, 11 a.m.  
 Wed., April 12.....\*at Alma, 2:30 p.m.  
 Sat., April 15.....\*CALVIN & ADRIAN, 12:30 p.m.  
 Sat., April 22.....\*at Albion, 12:30 p.m.  
 Sat., April 29.....at Hillsdale, 11 a.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., May 5-6.....\*MIAA Field Day at Alma  
 Fri.-Sat., May 12-13.....at North Central Invitational, 3 p.m.  
 Fri.-Sat., May 19-20.....at North Central Last Chance, 3 p.m.  
 Wed.-Sat., May 24-27.....NCAA Nationals at Northfield, Minn.

## Women's Track

Head Coach: Donna Eaton  
 Indoor

Fri., Feb. 10.....at Grand Valley Invitational, 3 p.m.  
 Spring Trip  
 Sat., March 18.....at Auburn Invitational, Ala., 10 a.m.  
 Sat., March 25.....at Emory Invitational, Ga., 10 a.m.

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# Deaths sadden Hope family

## Marian Anderson '31 Stryker

**Marian Anderson '31 Stryker, Hope College Alumni Executive Secretary Emerita, died on Friday, Dec. 23, 1994, in Bellevue, Mich.**

Stryker, 85, was the college's alumni secretary from 1947 until her retirement in 1974. Editor of the college's *Alumni Magazine* from 1949 until her retirement, she also published the college's first *Alumni Directory* in 1951. Her involvement in fund raising on behalf of the college led to the college receiving a national award in 1968 from the U.S. Steel Foundation for improvement in alumni giving. The college's base of annual alumni support increased from 170 alumni donors of \$10,643 in 1947 to 3,820 alumni donors of \$424,170 at the time of her retirement.



"Marian Stryker served as the vital connection between Hope College alumni living in some 50 nations of the world and every state in this Union," said Tom Renner '67, director of public relations. "She kept the 'Hope family' in contact, maintaining a spirit that thousands of miles could not separate. She enriched the lives of many

people. Her imprint on Hope College and thousands of lives will remain forever."

She was presented the college's Distinguished Alumni Award in 1974. She was given a standing ovation by the 430 alumni, graduating class and parents present.

A three-page tribute published in the April/May, 1974, issue of *news from Hope College*, upon the occasion of her retirement, included tributes from several members of the Hope family. The late Dr. Irwin '17 and Margaret Vandonselaar '22 Lubbers, former president and first lady of Hope, honored her work as an Alumni Association pioneer, writing, "What George Washington was to his country, what Albertus C. Van Raalte was to Hope College, that she was to the Alumni Association."

She was born in Fostoria, Ohio, on May 6, 1909, to Elnora and James Anderson. She graduated from Fostoria High School in 1927. While a Hope student she was a member of the Sigma Sigma sorority.

She was an active member of Hope Reformed Church and the Century Club, both in Holland, and a founding member of the Holland Junior Welfare League.

She married John A. Stryker '32 on Oct. 15, 1936. They lived in Grand Rapids, Mich., with their three sons until his death in 1946.

Survivors include her children, Dr. John '60 and Mary VanKoeveing '60 Stryker of Hershey, Pa., Bill and Ellie Stryker of Romeo, Mich., and David '65 and Carol Stryker of Bellevue; eight grandchildren; a brother, Arthur Anderson '34 of Kansas,



As alumni secretary from 1947 until 1974, and as editor of the college's *Alumni Magazine* from 1949 until 1974, Marian Anderson '31 Stryker played a major role in keeping the Hope family connected.

Ohio; brothers- and sisters-in-law, Eleanor Stryker '38 Swart of Holland, Mich., Margaret Stryker '35 Dolfin of Silver Lake, Mich., Mark '35 and Reo Stryker '34 Brouwer of Willard, Ohio, Quentin and Ruth Stryker '41 Smith of Angola, Ind., James and Rhosan Stryker of Midland, Mich., and Ann Vanderjagt '47 Stryker of Grand Rapids, Mich.; and several nieces

and nephews.

Her grandchildren include Will Stryker, Marian Stryker '90, Katy Stryker '92 Greenbauer, Steve Greenbauer, Amy Stryker, Mindy Stryker, Tom Stryker '90, Nancy Trent '90 Stryker, John N. Stryker and Julie Stryker.

Memorial gifts may be made to the Hope College Alumni Association. ✍

## Robert S. Brown

**Dr. Robert S. Brown of Holland, Mich., a retired member of the Hope psychology faculty, died on Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1994. He was 69.**

Dr. Brown joined the Hope faculty in 1960. He was promoted to assistant professor in 1962, and to associate professor in 1964. He retired in the fall of 1985.

His expertise was in counseling and therapy, and from 1965 to 1970 he was the director of the Psychological and Counseling Center at Hope. He was also founder of the Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention Service (HELP Line) in West Michigan.

While on the faculty, Dr. Brown originated or helped develop several courses in the department or interdisciplinary courses. While at Hope he had also held visiting professorships at Michigan State University and Ohio State University, and was a post-doctoral fellow at Fuller Theological Seminary.

He was certified by the State of Michigan as a licensed consulting psychologist. His professional experiences while at Hope included serving as a consulting psychologist on a Navajo reservation and with the Peace Corps in Sierra Leone.

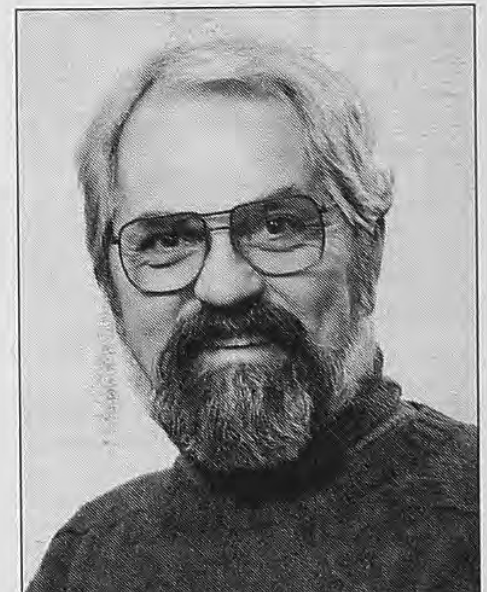
In October of 1983, Dr. Brown had his larynx removed after learning that it was cancerous. He continued teaching despite the loss of his voice box, and became active in counseling others diagnosed with the disease. In April of this year he was featured on WZZM TV-13, the local ABC

affiliate, on "Profiles in Survival," a program designed by the American Cancer Society.

He was a fighter pilot in the Pacific during World War II. He received an A.B. from Western Michigan University in 1950, and subsequently was a high school teacher with the Grand Rapids Public Schools until 1960.

He earned his master's degree in history and psychology from the University of Michigan in 1952, and in 1963 earned a doctorate in counseling psychology from Michigan State University.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth; his children, Laura and Dan Rauwerda of Spring Lake, Mich., Jeff Brown '83 of Holland, and Randall and Cyndi Brown of Zeeland, Mich.; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Peter (Sally) Dombroski of Benton Harbor, Mich. ✍



Robert Brown



# Bakers bring home to Hope

**The college's spring semester has just started, although on a overcast January day "spring" seems something of a misnomer.**

For freshman Lisa Jutte of Ohio, however, there's some familial warmth to offset the seasonal chill. Today, January 11, is her 19th birthday, and although she is celebrating it far from home for the first time, she is doing so with a bit of home having been brought to her. She has just received a fresh, homemade cake, along with a card signed "Mom, Dad and Andy."

Cakes are somewhat fragile creatures, and don't generally mail well. Neither do they generally arrive fresh-baked when they're sent that way. But Jutte's family, like many others, found a way around that problem.

She is one of more than 8,000 Hope students to have had a birthday treat through a program offered by Holland's Third Reformed Church since 1960. For \$10, parents may order a homemade birthday cake for their out-of-town Hope son or daughter, giving them a chance to provide via proxy a confection that distance makes it impossible for them to provide personally.

"I think it's a good idea," Jutte said. "I'm from Dayton, Ohio, and pretty far away from home. 'It's nice to have people say 'Happy Birthday' and bring me a cake and stuff.'"

Beyond serving as a manifestation of birthday wishes, Jutte's cake was also destined to do additional duty as an occasion for later celebration. "I told some of my friends I was getting a cake, so they're going to come over later tonight," she said.

The cake program began some 35 years ago as a fund-raising project for a 10-12 member women's "circle" at Third Reformed, and was the brainchild of the late Sena Oosterhof. Intended first for freshmen, after a few years it expanded to include all out-of-town students with school-year

birthdays, and became so popular that it eventually involved the church's entire Reformed Church Women group.

Angel food cakes were popular among the early bakers, for an eminently practical reason: the young mothers in the group gave egg yolks to their babies, but had the whites—a prime angel food ingredient—left over. "So, many of the first cakes were 'angel food,' but soon other kinds of cakes could be made—whatever the parents requested," said Winifred Kooiker, a member of the circle that started the program.

Today, approximately 90 women bake more than 200 cakes for Hope students each year (and as many as 402, a record set in 1967). The church offers four types of cake—chocolate, white, yellow and (of course) angel food—and two types of frosting: chocolate and white.

The bakers donate their time and materials, with the \$10 fee supporting the operations and projects of Third Reformed Church.

The program earns high marks from the parents who have availed themselves of it—at least, if the personal notes that accompany the orders are any indication. "The notes we get in the mail are just heart-rending," said Nancy Meyer, chair of the program.

One parent confided, "Thank you so much. As a parent who just dropped off their oldest for her first year at Hope, I was already worried about her birthday."

"Just wanted to drop a line along with my order to thank you for such a neat idea and the gift of cake giving," another said. "This will be our daughter's last year at Hope, and I have now ordered your cakes all four years."

"What a wonderful tradition and service to the students and parents," another wrote. "I'm sure Andy will love the cake."

At age 35, the cake project has become a tradition. Meyer noted that the church now has some third-generation cake bakers participating. She and her sister are second generation bakers (Kooiker is their mother).

With its early student recipients now the parents of college-age students themselves,



Daughter Sara watches as Sally Voogd of Holland, Mich., bakes. Voogd and the program's 90 other bakers are all volunteers.



A fresh, homemade cake baked by proxy helps freshman Lisa Jutte of Dayton, Ohio, celebrate a birthday far from home. Third Reformed Church of Holland, Mich., has offered its program for providing cakes to out-of-town students since 1960.

the program is also not only involving multiple generations as bakers, but as celebrants as well.

For example, in January of 1960—the program's first year—freshman Roberta Brookmann '63 Looman received one of the cakes from her family in New York.

"My mother was very concerned about my being homesick, and that was one of the ways that she thought she could help," said Looman, who now lives in Belleville, Ill. "It was a complete surprise."

A complete surprise, and a pleasant one. Thus, now that she is herself the parent of a Hope student (youngest daughter Ann, currently a junior, is her third to attend Hope), she is again participating in the program—but this time from her mother's perspective. This past October marked the third time she had ordered one of the cakes for Ann.

For the Juttes, and the Loomans, and some 8,000 other families, it would be much better to deliver such birthday greetings in

person; for the students, it would no doubt be better to receive them that way.

The realities of work and academic schedules, however, don't always allow that to happen. Through the dedicated and caring work of the volunteers of Third Reformed Church, both sets can enjoy the next best thing to being there.

*(Editor's Note: About a month before each semester begins, Third Reformed Church sends a letter to parents with out-of-town students celebrating school-year birthdays, inviting them to purchase a cake for their son or daughter. Parents or prospective parents interested in the program should note that the next letter will be mailed in August.)*

In addition, the college is interested in learning if other families, like Roberta and Ann Looman, or Winifred Kooiker and Nancy Meyer, have "cake program" generational connections. If your family has had such a connection, please let us know by writing to: Hope College Public Relations; PO Box 9000; Holland, MI 49422-9000.)



# Time spread

A survey by the college's Carl Frost Center for Social Science Research learns just how Hope students keep themselves busy.

**T**alk to Hope students, and they'll tell you that being in college full-time is a full-time job.

The college's Office of Student Development, however, wanted to know a bit more: just how much time do students spend on academics? How many work in addition to attending school? How do they spend their other time, where and with whom? Do gender and year in school make a difference?

To provide the answers, the college's Carl Frost Center for Social Science Research conducted a survey that tracked 176 students—six percent of the student body—for 10 days in November of 1993.

Each class year was nearly equally represented, with a total of 102 women and 74 men participating. The participants noted what they were doing, with whom they were doing it and where, for every 30-minute period during each of the 10 days. In addition, they recorded their primary and secondary activities for every period (listening to music while studying, for example).

The survey resulted in the identification of 35 activities, which the researchers subsequently grouped within several general headings.

For a typical weekday, sleep emerged as the number one student activity at 33 percent (or about eight hours out of 24). Academics were a close second at 32 percent (proving that coursework really

is a full-time job). Personal business was third at 12 percent, with the remainder (religious activities, campus activities, sports, social life, employment and leisure) each comprising six percent or less.

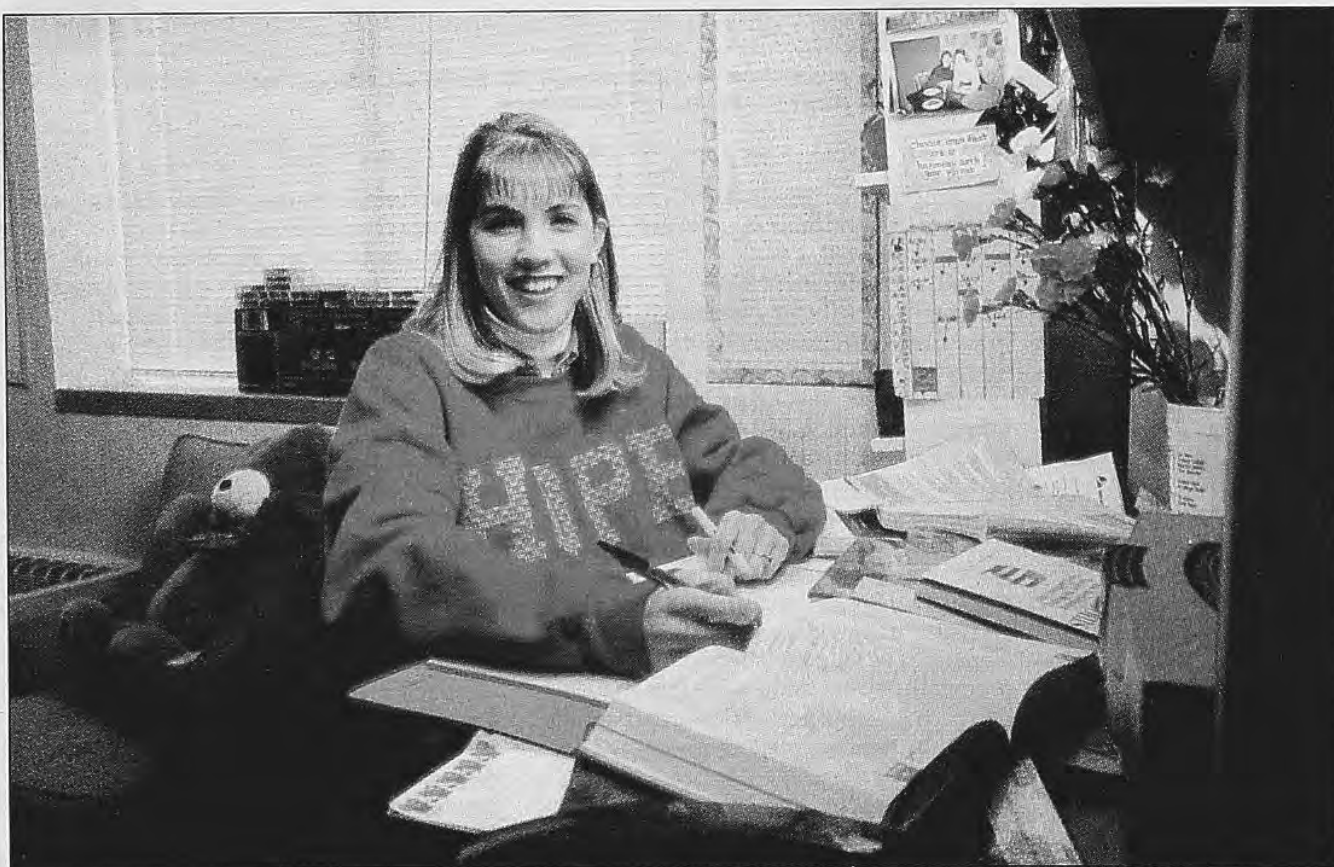
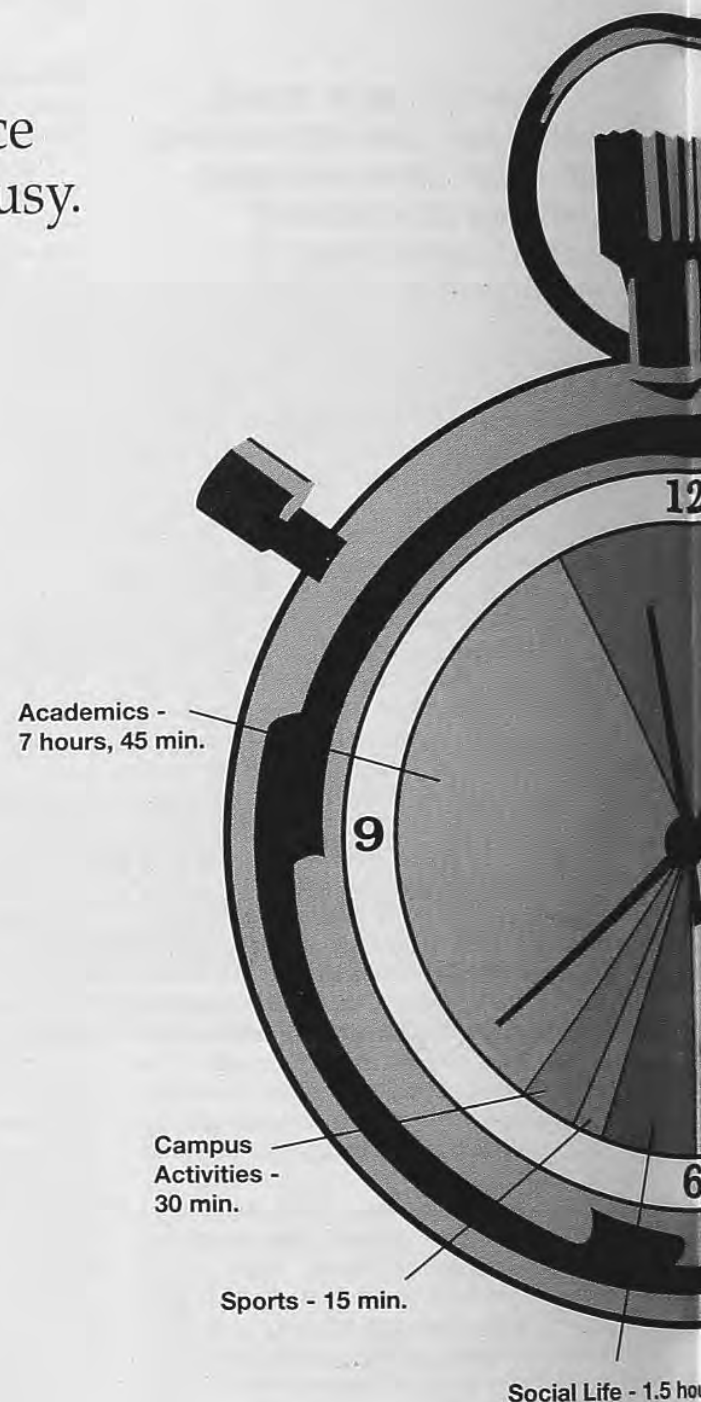
On average, those surveyed spent most of their weekday time, 59 percent, in their rooms (including sleep). Class time and elsewhere on campus tied for second at 13 percent each, with the other general categories (friend's residence, library, at work, at home or out of town, or otherwise off campus) each representing five percent or less.

The college's students also spent most of their hours alone—they were by themselves 59 percent of the time (including sleep). Friends ranked second, filling 22 percent of each student's day. Each other general category—boyfriend/girlfriend, roommate, family, faculty/staff and others—received, on average, 6.4 percent or less of each student's day.

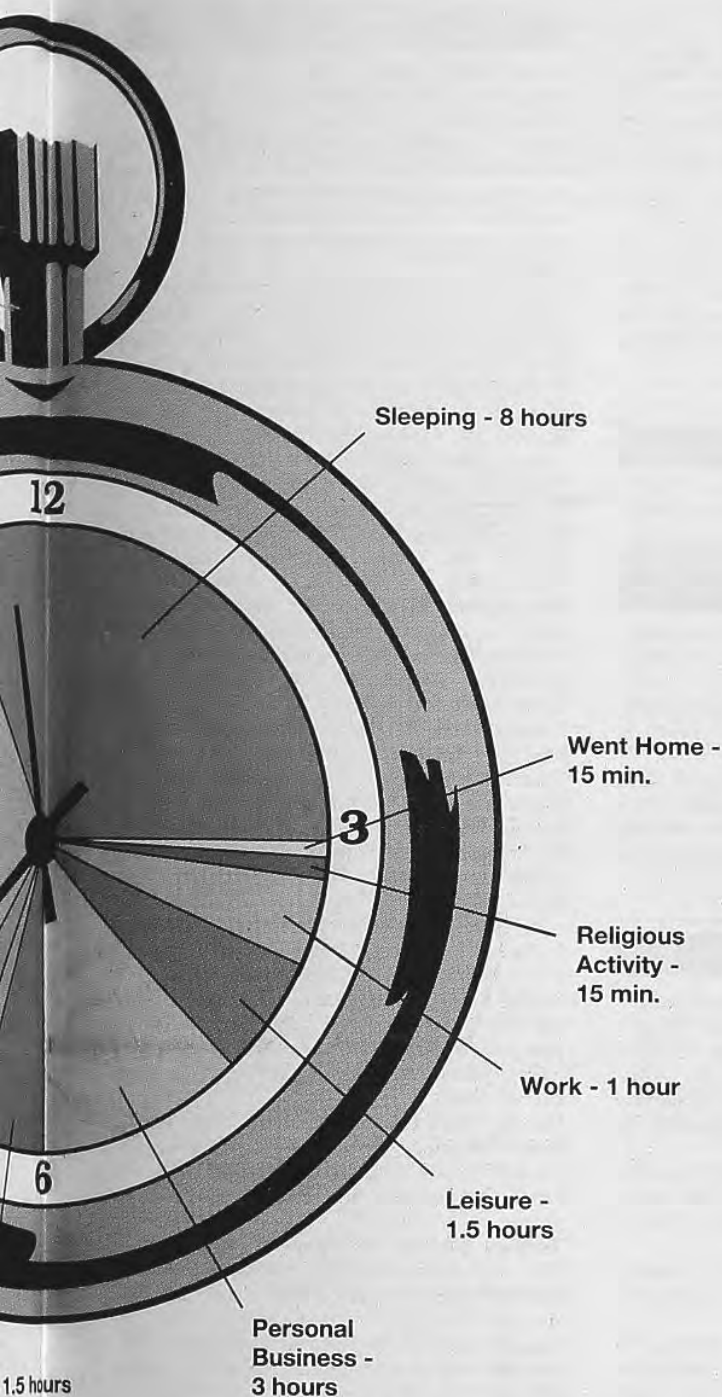
Dr. Charles Green, who is director of the Carl Frost Center and an associate professor of psychology, is the project's faculty coordinator. He notes that the averages, while intriguing, tell only part of the story.

"Statisticians for years have been telling the story that if you put somebody's head in the oven and feet in the freezer you've got a good average temperature," he said.

He feels that the survey's most valuable lessons will follow later this semester, when the data will have been fully analyzed and can help the college gain a better understanding of specific situations.







"We have strong reasons to believe that a student's experience of college changes over their four years here, and we wanted to see how that would change," Dr. Green said. "In terms of, for example, sleep: do people by their junior year figure out they need a minimum amount of sleep and start getting it?; in terms of the way they spend their academic time—in class versus internship versus laboratory versus personal study time. Does that change over the course of their time here?"

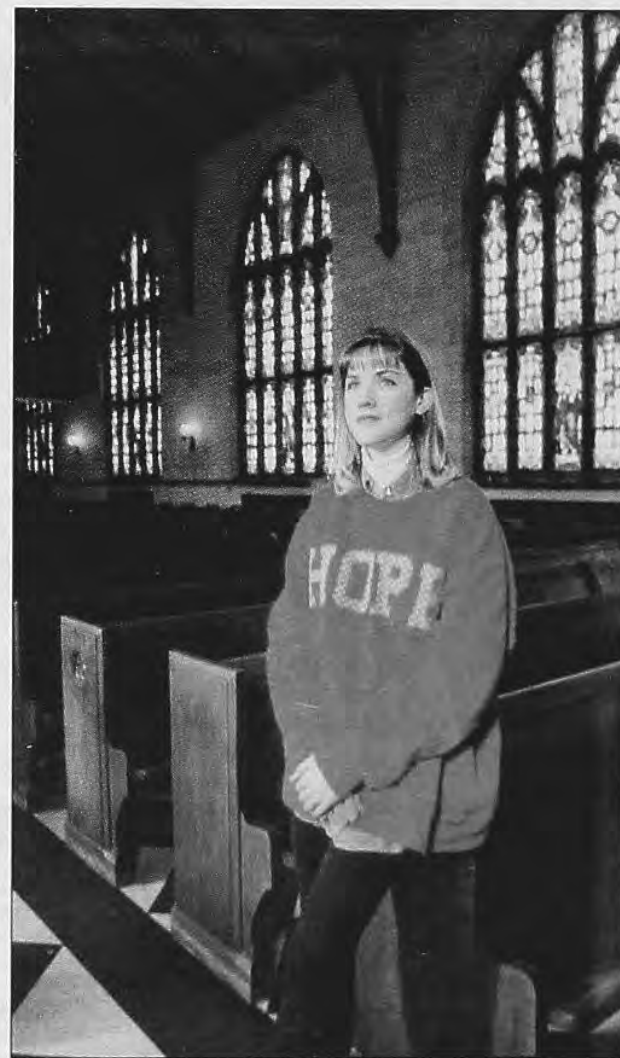
He added that the data could also be useful for individual departments on campus. "The folks at the library are interested in knowing what activities occur when somebody says that they are there. 'Are they alone?'; 'Are they with a group?'; 'How long do they tend to be there when they show up?' Those kinds of questions," he said.

Dr. Green's hope is that the data can ultimately assist the college in its on-going effort to shape its program and services to best meet students' needs.

He cited the academic program as one example. Although those surveyed engaged in academic activities for one third of the time on average, in reality some students spent more time on the activity and some less. The data, he believes, can help the college identify and encourage those who are—and help those who are not.

"One question is: if they're not spending as much time as everybody else studying, what are they doing with their extra time? They've got to be higher on something; it's a zero-sum gain. If you take time away from study it has to go someplace else. You can't just eliminate two hours from your day. You have to be doing something else, and it'd be very interesting to find out what."

"Maybe they are working. Maybe they're just hanging around. I don't know," he said. "But I hope to."



news from Hope College offers many thanks to freshman Beth Heneveld of Canton, Mich., our good-natured model for this story, who does study hard, work hard and attend Chapel, but please rest assured does not usually drink five different beverages and try several different entrees for lunch.



**A few months ago, L. Roger Patterson '46 brought us a Hope College memory book that had belonged to Margaret "Maggie" J. Kole '33. Miss Kole passed away last May, and Mr. Patterson thought the college would appreciate having her scrap book for its archival collection.**

As I explored each page, I learned a lot about what Hope College was like as an institution during the 1930s. Reading through the student handbooks — "Book of Manners" and the "House Rules for Voorhees Hall" — I realized just how much things really *have* changed during the past 65 years.

At the same time, the items she treasured and carefully saved — her collection of mementos from the student activities; the sorority and fraternity outings; the ticket stubs and programs from athletic contests and cultural events, as well as her letters from friends — reminded me how much things *have not* changed.

Seeing the things that were important to her, and that they meant enough that she saved them her entire life, caused me to reflect on my own student experiences at Hope. I think of the collection of things that I too have saved, and willingly moved — from apartment, to apartment, to apartment... The photo albums, the letters, the class notes and papers, the various college souvenirs and the engraved pair of wooden shoes I received one birthday are all things I'm not willing to part with because they remind me of the wonderful opportunities I had while at Hope and the impact Hope people have had on my life.

As I read Miss Kole's acceptance letter from the registrar, I remember the elation I felt at receiving my own acceptance notification from the Admissions Office.

As I scanned her "Welcome to Hope College" note from a well meaning "big sister," I thought about the kind letter I too received from an upper classman the summer before my first semester. That letter, from a stranger who offered to answer any of my questions, helped relieve the anxiety I was feeling about leaving home and going off to college.

Another of her notes reminded me of the letters my freshman roommate and I

tentatively exchanged the month before school started. We were both so nervous about meeting each other and whether or not things would work out. Fortunately, it did, and our rooming together was a wonderful start to a lifelong friendship. Twelve years later we still take those letters out and laugh at our "introductions" to each other.

As I reminisce, I could easily go on and on about my own memorable experiences, but it's not really my memories or Miss Kole's memories that are significant.

I don't think Miss Kole and I are unique in wanting to preserve the specialness of our campus days. We all have events from college that we will always want to remember. Miss Kole may have been able to condense the tokens of her four years at Hope into one thick scrap book, but I know by the care she took to preserve and keep that book that it was a treasured reminder of memories that mattered for a lifetime.

I think most of you had significant experiences while you were at Hope. Why don't you take a trek down your own memory lane? Dig through those boxes and crates and pull out your yearbooks and memorabilia. I'm sure reflecting on some of your college days will bring back great memories, just like it did for me.

If you haven't maintained those bonds that were once so strong, why don't you consider taking time now to renew your ties to Hope College and those Hope people that were influential in your life? Call an old friend and just reminisce about the fun things you did at Hope. Drop a note to some of your favorite professors and let them know how they affected your life. Attend a regional event and meet other alumni that live in your area. Send us your class notes and announcements so we can let your classmates know what you are doing.

If you are in the class of 1930, 1935, 1940, 1945, 1950, 1955, 1960, 1970 or 1975, make that commitment to attend your reunion this May. If you are in the class of 1980, 1985 or 1990, mark your calendar for Oct. 13-15 and plan to return this fall for your reunion. Even if you are not celebrating a reunion year, make plans to visit the campus soon and see for yourself how Hope has changed, yet how it also always seems to remain the same.

*Lynne*

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## 1910s

Bertha Brower '17 Van Zyl of Tacoma, Wash., recently celebrated her 95th birthday with family.

## 1930s

Robert Stewart '35 lives at the Westminster-Canterbury retirement home in Virginia Beach, Va.

Stuart Gross '36 was profiled in "Senior Korner," a regular feature of *The Township Times* of Saginaw, Mich., on Nov. 16, 1994.

Wilhelm Haysom '36 of Bloomington, N.Y., reports that at age 82 he is still enjoying retirement, and stays active as a substitute preacher and editing (with wife Delia) his local church newsletter.

## 1940s

Elaine Boynton '41 Bosch and husband Donald are wintering in Muscat, Oman, as they do each year, and report that they "are both well and healthy."

Ruth DeYoung '41 Potts and husband William of Haines City, Fla., celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Aug. 19, 1994.

Ted Zandstra '41 of Holland, Mich., celebrated both 50 years of ministry in the Reformed Church and 50 years of marriage to wife June in June of 1994.

Anne DeYoung '42 of Rochester, N.Y., is enjoying retirement, and is active in her church and community.

Blaise Levai '42 and wife Marian Korteling '47 Levai of Jacksonville, Fla., traveled in January to India, where they worked for more than 15 years.

Allan Weenink '43 and wife Virginia of Holland, Mich., spent three weeks in November visiting mission projects in Nepal and India. While in India they were present for the Centennial Celebration of the Miraj Medical Center, as representatives of the Presbytery of Lake Michigan.

Harvey Staal '43 of Hudsonville, Mich., has edited three commentaries by Dr. Paul Harrison and published them in one book, *A Spiritual Legacy*. Dr. Harrison was an internationally-recognized surgeon and well-known missionary of the Arabian Mission, and known in the Reformed Church as an outstanding preacher and Bible scholar as well. His commentaries were written during his missionary career and based on his study of the Scriptures and his life in the Middle East, and are on John, Romans and Hebrews. *A Spiritual Legacy* is available from the RCA Distribution Center, 1 800 968-7221.

Thomas Boslooper '45 of Clearwater, Fla., had articles published in *Michigan* and *The Journal of Erie Studies* in the fall of 1994.

Lester Nienhuis '45 of Tulsa, Okla., spends winters in Indian Wells, Calif. In 1987 he retired from his career as a surgeon.

Thomas Van Dahm '48 of Kenosha, Wis., has been notified by the American Recorder Society that several of his transcriptions, for recorder ensemble, of part songs by Brahms have been accepted by the society for publication. He is emeritus professor of economics, Carthage College, Kenosha.

Joyce Muilenburg '49 Booher planned to move from her home in Elba, N.Y., to an apartment in

Batavia, N.Y., in January.

Donald Lam '49 is calling pastor for Bethany Reformed Church of Kalamazoo, Mich.

## 1950s

Jeanne Toussaint '50 deVries of Plymouth, Mich., is enjoying retirement and watching her grandchildren grow.

Donald De Witt '50 and wife Jane of Greenville, N.C., are involved in short-term medical missionary work in the Ukraine and Trinidad. They have established a non-profit foundation, S.E.R.V., to receive drugs, equipment and money for mission expenses.

Oswald Ganley '50 of Arlington, Va., retired from Harvard in July of 1994 and is now a full-time physician assistant student at the George Washington University Medical School.

William Jellema '50 and Lois England '51 Jellema spent seven months in eastern and western Europe interviewing university and political leaders researching the impact of the European Union on European higher education. William is a professor at the University of Connecticut.

William Mackay '50 of Holland, Mich., is active in HASP, the Hope Academy of Senior Professionals.

Jack Marema '50 of Berea, Ky., was made an honorary alumnus of Berea College in November of 1994, and has also been made a life member of the Kentucky Association of Financial Aid Administrators (KASFAA).

Samuel Noordhoff '50 presented the 16th annual Maliniac Lecture during the 1994 Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons Inc. (ASPRS) on Sept. 27. He is professor and chair emeritus of the department of plastic and reconstructive surgery at Chang Gung Medical College Memorial Hospital in Taipei, Taiwan, and addressed "Plastic Surgery in Taiwan—Building a Cathedral." It was the first time an American-born surgeon gave the society's annual talk.

Daniel Paul '50 of Holland, Mich., retired from the education faculty at Hope in May of 1994.

Joan TenHoeve '50 Paul of Holland, Mich., retired from teaching with the Holland Public Schools on Dec. 31, 1994.

Harold "Hal" Franken '51 retired from WHTC radio in Holland, Mich., at the end of 1994 after 41 years of broadcasting and advertising sales. He broadcast Hope athletic events for many of those years.

Jeanne DeBoer '51 Milne of Honeoye Falls, N.Y., is director of a one-room schoolhouse, "Miss Eliza's Summer Session, 1994," and is involved with her church.

Howard Newton '51, formerly of Milford, Conn., now lives in Port Orange, Fla. He has retired after 40 years in ministry.

Ray Milne '52 of Honeoye Falls, N.Y., is a village trustee and involved with his church.

Norman Thompson '53 of Ann Arbor, Mich., was elected the 1994-95 president of the Western Surgical Association.

Stanley Vander Aarde '53 and Darlene De Beer '56 Vander Aarde have moved to Orange City, Iowa. He plans to retire from medicine on March 31.

Avis South '55 Boelkins of Muskegon, Mich., reports that two of her daughters are RCA pastors: Dawn Boelkins, who teaches at Western Theological Seminary; and Leigh '80 Van Kempen, with Hospice as a chaplain and later as bereavement coordinator.

Donald Damstra '55 of Phoenix, Ariz., a physician, has retired from full-time practice, and is serving as a consultant with the Arizona Board of Nursing Program for nurses with alcohol and/or drug problems.

John Fikse '55 of Grand Haven, Mich., retired on July 1, 1994, after 39 years of teaching in Michigan, the last 36 in Grand Haven. His plan is to spend winters in Florida, and summers (spring through early fall) at Torch Lake, Mich.

Phyllis Wierenga '55 Muilenburg of Randolph, N.J., reports that she is "supporting my retired spouse," Robert Muilenburg '55. She is a tutor with Daytop of Mendham.

Robert Muilenburg '55 of Randolph, N.J., retired on July 31, 1994 (please see preceding entry).

Darlene DeTunco '55 Neff of Iowa City, Iowa, retired as a teacher/therapist in October of 1994 after a career of teaching from kindergarten





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through junior college. In January she started full-time volunteer work at Scattergood, a Quaker high school in Iowa. She is married and has two sons.

**Robert Riekse '55** of Grand Rapids, Mich., received the Everett J. Soop Distinguished Adult Education Award for his work in developing innovative aging education programs through the Grand Rapids Community College-Calvin College Consortium on Aging, which he directs.

**Richard Spieldenner '55** of Portage, Mich., retired from the Vicksburg Community Schools in June of 1993, and works part-time at the Teacher's Center in Portage.

**Gerald Vander Velde '55** plans to retire from the First Reformed Church, where he is pastor, in May and live in West Michigan.

**Maurice Witteveen '55** writes, "After a 32-year career in transportation engineering, Diantha and I have happily retired to Leelanau County, where church life and volunteering keep us involved in Suttons Bay life. We love our new lifestyle and welcome Hope friends to our home for a visit when you are in the Grand Traverse area."

**Mary Jane Adams '56** Dykema of Spring Lake, Mich., retired from the Grand Haven (Mich.) Board of Education last June after 16 years of service—10 as president. She is now vice-chair of the North Ottawa Community Hospital Board of Trustees.

**Janice Conklin '56** Hesselink of Athens, N.Y., retired in June of 1994 after 23 years of teaching music in the public schools. She is presently in graduate school, at St. Bernard's Institute preparing for the ministry. In January she began serving as a student intern at the Reformed Church of Schodack at Muzieskill.

**Jerry Redeker '56** of Holland, Mich., retired from Old Kent Bank of Holland on Nov. 1, 1994. He continues to serve on the Board of Directors as chair of the Executive Committee.

**Ron Albrecht '57** of Grand Haven, Mich., retired in June of 1994 after teaching for the Grand Haven Area Public Schools for 37 years. He continues his interest in the area of economic education.

**William Cameron '57** of College Point, N.Y., for the third time chaired the Christian Service Award Dinner of the Synod of New York. There were 51 lay honorees and 450 attended the dinner, which was held on Sunday, Oct. 30, 1994.

**Dee Dee Drake '57** Meeusen of Gunderland Center, N.Y., recently completed a bachelor's degree in special education (please see "advanced degrees"). She will continue to work with severely emotionally impaired and socially disturbed

teen-agers who have intense management needs. She has been working with this population for 21 years.

**John Hood '59** of Vermilion, Ohio, has changed his ministerial standing from UCC to Conservative Congregational Christian Conference.

**Vernon Kortering '59** and **Lois Griffes '60** Kortering of Muskegon, Mich., have two grandchildren—Alison Verge and Kyla Kortering—and are expecting a third in March.

### 1960s

**Dale Burns '60** Brown of Alva, Okla., after 19 years closed her preschool/day care center in August to spend time on health, hobbies and teaching early childhood classes at NWSU, and also to spend time with her granddaughter, Kaylin (16 months old in November).

**Gary Bylsma '60** of Grand Rapids, Mich., became director human resources with Westgate Oil Company in March of 1994.

**Charles Coulson '60** of Grand Rapids, Mich., is active as a volunteer for Habitat for Humanity.

**James Evers '60** of Nanuet, N.Y., is the author of *The Effective Writer's (Business) Kit*, *The Student's Effective Writer's Kit*, *The Effective Problem Solver's Kit* and *How to TAP Your Peak Performance Skills*.

**Robert Trimmer '60** of Germantown, Md., has been representing the Food and Drug Administration's Center for Drug and Evaluation Research (CDER) Drug Substance Committee as chair, towards harmonization of drug substance impurities policies between the USA, Western Europe and Japan, and the development of new and updated FDA guidances and reviewer guides.

**Robert Kroeze '61** of Corona, Calif., was selected teacher of the year at Wood Crest Junior High School in Chino, Calif., by his fellow teachers and administration for the 1993-94 school year. He is in his 34th year as a teacher.

**Marie Blauwkamp '62** and husband Adrian celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 28, 1994.

**Gordon Dragt '62** of New York City was elected Fellow of The Society for the Arts, Religion and Contemporary Culture (ARCC) and was formally introduced during the society's Nov. 5, 1994, meeting in New York. The purpose of the society, which was established in 1962, is "to encourage all those who seek a meeting place between the arts and religion—those cultural forces whose role is decisive in an effort to renew the human condi-

tion." He is minister-in-charge of the Middle Collegiate Church in New York.

**Paul Hesselink '62** since September of 1993 has been dean of Nevada School of the Arts, a community arts school in Las Vegas. He is also the sub-dean of the Southern Nevada Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. Prior to moving to Las Vegas two years ago, he taught for 26 years at Longwood College in Farmville, Va.

**Richard Jundt '62** moved house, workshop and business to Lewes, Del., in December of 1994.

**David Needham '62** of Clinton, S.C., received a faculty development grant to study at Oxford University in the summer of 1995 with his wife Jan. They have two grandchildren.

**Thomas Plewes '62**, a major general, became the commanding officer of the 310th Theater Army Area Command (TAACOM) on Nov. 20, 1994. The 310th TAACOM is one of the largest and most senior logistical headquarters in the U.S. Army Reserve system, and located at the John S. Mosby U.S. Army Reserve Center, Fort Belvoir, Va.

**Jane Vandenberg '62** Poparad is assistant director of the Coffee County Lannom Library in Tullahoma, Tenn.

**Barbara Mortensen '62** Sanborn of Houston, Texas, was inducted into the Academy of Distinguished Alumni of Boston University in May of 1994.

**Paul Zoschke '62** of Fond Du Lac, Wis., received the 1994 Distinguished Chaplain's Award from the Wisconsin Conference of Churches Chaplains' Commission. He is a correctional chaplain at the Kettle Moraine C.I. in Sheboygan County, Wis., a 900-bed medium-security institution for adult males.

**Beula Kampen '63** Maris of Plainview, N.Y., is national president of Reformed Church Women's Ministries.

**Sharon Young '64** Holleman was named a New York State English Council Educator of Excellence, 1994, on Oct. 21, 1994. She was recognized for her outstanding contribution to English language arts education by maintaining continuity, responding to challenge and promoting change. She is currently teaching English in the Lakeland Central School District, Shrub Oak, N.Y.

**Audrey Prins '64** Rasmussen of Alexandria, Va., became a partner at O'Connor & Hannan in July of 1994.

**Linda Munro '65** Cailliez of Minneapolis, Minn., recently completed writing and design for four comprehensive training manuals to be published this spring by Children's Health Care, Minneapolis: *Partners Team Guide*, *Total Quality Care Overview Workshop*, *Data Tools Workshop* and *Leader-Facilitator Workshop*.

**Robert Hecht '65** of Grand Haven, Mich., reports the birth of his second grandchild, Jacob David, born Oct. 24 to his daughter Elizabeth and her husband David Johnson of Spring Lake, Mich.

**Barbara Yager '65** Hepburn of Lancaster, Pa., as a certified prevention specialist, has created a program for "at risk" kids in elementary schools. Tested for six years, the 1,000-page-plus curriculum is being marketed throughout the country.

**Marion Hoekstra '65** of Laurel, Md., reports that she travels as much as possible. She writes, "I have visited my Japanese pen pal (36 years) twice (1973, 1993). I started a community vegetable garden 20 years ago. It keeps me out of mischief! I hope to travel to Honduras in July, 1995, to participate in a mission work project." She is also a regular blood donor (16-plus gallons) and in the national bone marrow donor registry.

**Michael Laughlin '65** was elected chair of the Social Science Department at Benicia (Calif.) High School for 1994-95.

**William Peacock '65** of Ironia, N.J., is with Turpin Real Estate.

**Suzanne Radliff '65** Sather of Stanwood, Wash., is working on her early childhood education certification. She teaches storytelling and script writing

in the Puget Sound region, and does trainings in parent-professional communication involving special needs children.

**Marti Lootens '65** Sligh, a licensed psychologist, opened a private practice in Holland, Mich., on Nov. 7, 1994.

**Norman Ten Brink '65** of Allendale, Mich., reports that son Ryan has been selected as a National Merit Scholarship Semi-Finalist and is likely to be a Finalist.

**Norma Rens '67** Greenfield of Redlands, Calif., is teaching high school mathematics at Ontario (Calif.) Christian High School.

**Bradford Race Jr. '67** has been appointed chief of staff of New York's new governor, George E. Pataki, who took office in January.

**David Bruininks '68** is the pastor of the Grace Reformed Church, Holland, Mich. He recently concluded 10 years as the director of Discipleship Ministries Inc.

**William DeBoer '68** and **Peggy Dean '69** DeBoer are serving at Jicarilla Apache Reformed Church in Dulce, N.M., following Bill's ordination and installation on Sept. 21. They have been RCA missionaries since 1982.

**Pamela Reynolds '68** VanderWeele is teaching fifth grade for the Department of Education, Guam. She is also on the Board of Directors for the newly-formed Habitat for Humanity-Guam, and is coaching swimmers ages 10-12 for the USS Manukai Swim Club.

**Bruce Formsma '69** was trumpeter with the Zeeland (Mich.) Civic Chorus's 55th annual rendition of Handel's oratorio *Messiah* on Thursday, Dec. 1. It was his 20th time as trumpeter with the chorus. He teaches instrumental music at Zeeland Christian School.

**Diana Williams '69** Weiss of Kintnersville, Pa., a music teacher, has recently had several poems published in *Pegasus*, *Feelings*, *Byron Poetry Works* and *Needle Arts* magazines, as well as her local newspapers.

### 1970s

**Kenneth Austin '70** of Orland Park, Ill., is principal trumpet in the professional orchestra, the New Philharmonic, in Chicago, Ill.

**Robert Branch '70** of Essex, Mass., is a pastoral associate at his church, First Church in Ipswich, Mass.

**Linda Cramer '70** of Reston, Va., as director of a Federal information clearinghouse, is an active participant in the U.S. Interagency Task Force on Child Abuse and Neglect Clearinghouse Consortium; and Partnerships Against Violence Network (PAVNET), an interagency initiative in which the Department of Justice serves as secretariat, to identify, share and put on-line (Internet) program development materials related to violence prevention and at-risk youth. She also participates in the Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (ODPHP) Committee of Federal Health Communicators, which is currently piloting a "Libraries as Gateways" program to share Federal health information with local libraries.

**Carol Koterski '70** Dugan of Plainsboro, N.J., in April of 1994 was elected to a three-year term on the West Windsor-Plainsboro Board of Education.

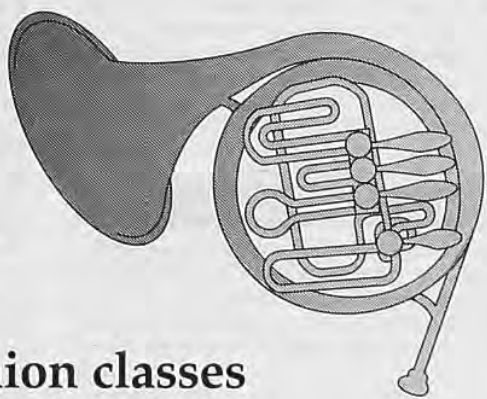
**Elizabeth Hook '70** Elgersma of Baileyville, Ill., is a counselor with Family Life Center in Freeport, Ill., and in 1994 was admitted as a member: Qualified Clinical Social Worker Credential.

**Robert Faulman '70** of Boyne City, Mich., became pastor on Feb. 15, 1994, of the First Presbyterian Churches of Bay Shore and Boyne City.

**Eileen Verduin '70** Raphael of Holland, Mich., in October of 1994 was promoted to manager of employee publications of Steelcase Inc., which has approximately 18,000 employees worldwide.

**William Strampel '70** of Falls Church, Va., is a colonel in the U.S. Army, and has been appointed

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deputy commander and director of graduate medical education at Brooke Army Medical Center. He is responsible for the medical training of more than 270 interns, residents and fellows.

**Robert Warner '70** of Emmetsburg, Iowa, in August became a media specialist with the Lakeland Area Education Agency #3 in Cylinder, Iowa.

**Lynn Davis '71** Austin of Orland Park, Ill., is having a three-book historical novel published by Beacon Hill Press. Book I, *The Lord Is My Strength*, was out in January. She is also contributing editor for the magazine *The Christian Reader*, and writes regularly for *Moody Mag*, *Discipleship Journal*, *Teachers in Focus*, *Parents of Teenagers*, *Woman Alive* and *Profile*.

**Henri Velthuizen '71** Paterson is a principle with Woodland Realty Inc., and is president of the Holland (Mich.) Board of Realtors for 1995.

**Louis Lotz '72** of Sioux City, Iowa, will be a featured speaker during the Triennial Assembly of Reformed Church Women's Ministries, to be held July 8-12 in Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

**Timothy Seise '72** of Jacksonville, Fla., has been named to the 1994 *National Directory of Who's Who in Executives and Professionals*. Each member's selection is based on both professional reputation and impact on their industry. He is the executive consultant at Stone & Webster Management Consultants Inc.

**Michael Ebberts '73** is technical liaison for IBM World Trade Division, based in Dallas, Texas.

**Greg Kalmbacher '73** and family, planned, as of November, to leave in late January for Irian Jaya, Indonesia, where they are working through Wycliffe Bible Translators.

**Christine Bush '73** Mattera of Doylestown, Pa., has had a fifth mystery published with Avalon Books, N.Y.: *Deadline for Danger*.

**Gloria VandeHoef '73** Timmer of Lawrence, Kan., is state budget director for the state of Kansas. She has held the position since 1991—appointed first by Governor Joan Finney, and retained in the office by the new governor, Bill Graves, elected in November (hers was Graves's first appointment, announced in November).

**Carolyn Borgert '74** of Villa Hills, Ky., has left Kmart Corporation and will be festival coordinator for the United States Pony Club at the Kentucky Horse Park. She has also been accepted as an area steward (supervising fence judges) in Combined Training for the 1996 Olympics.

**Arlene Dekker '75** Akker of Muskegon, Mich., is an instructor in English and foundational studies at Jordan College in Grand Rapids, Mich., and also teaches high school completion for Muskegon Public Schools. She enjoys craft creating, reading and relaxing with her husband, son and daughter.

**Judith Van De Hoef '75** Bloor of Goshenville, Ky., is an emergency shelter director with The Home of the Innocents in Louisville, Ky.

**Neil Clark '75** is dean of college counseling and guidance at the Walker School in Marietta, Ga. He is also co-founder of the Small College Admissions Services, a counseling company.

**Mark Convoy '75** of Glen Rock, N.J., attended the Ad Hoc II reunion at Hope in the summer of 1994.

**Mary Vlieger '75** DeYoung and husband **Steven DeYoung '75** of Holland, Mich., have established "Youngstirs," a family wood-working business. They manufacture wooden story figures and accessories to accompany the program "Children and Worship."

**Tom Hallquist '75** is in his 14th year of dental practice in Oshkosh, Wis. He and wife Pat Dwyer-Hallquist '76 have two sons, age four and seven.

**Allen Heneveld '75** of Laguna Beach, Calif., has launched his own business, The Barak Group, an entrepreneur and small business consulting firm.

**Ann Hesselink '75** of Mendham, N.J., writes, "I've finally moved out of New York City—and survived! N.J. is a big change (and much nicer than the rumors)—the biggest hazard is deer!"

**Debra Frifeldt '75** Hinchman and family moved in August of 1994 to Mons, Belgium, where her husband Steve is assigned to the international organization SHAPE (Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe) in his capacity as a Navy Commander. They expect to be there until June of 1997.

**Shirley Jousma '75** Iannarone of Palos Heights, Ill., recently completed a six-year term on the Board of Trustees of Elim Christian School, serving as Board Secretary this past year. She is presently teaching in the Academic Support Center at Chicago Christian High.

**Jeffrey Pett '75** of Holland, Mich., in April of 1994 was promoted to vice president-corporate quality at Prince Corporation, a manufacturer of automotive interior components and systems.

**Lynne Waller '75** Remo of Venice, Fla., teaches learning disabled middle school students at McIntosh Middle School.

**Michele White '75** Schaffer of Severna Park, Md., spent two weeks in San Jose, Costa Rica, doing graduate studies in Spanish at the Forrester Institute.

**David Smith '75** of Middleville, Mich., has been named president of The Employers' Association, a not-for-profit human resources support group, serving more than 360 West Michigan employers to improve employee/employer relations.

**Laura Wheatley '75** Smith of Middleville, Mich., recently completing a year of coordinating Maple Valley's gifted and talented program, was nominated for inclusion in *Who's Who in American Educators* and accepted in the 1994 edition.

**Dennis Sturtevant '75** of Coopersville, Mich., served as president of the Michigan County Social Services Association during 1993-94.

**E. Marie French '75** Vander Broek of Holland, Mich., has been named the partner in charge of tax and accounting services at French & Vander Broek CPA in Holland.

**Susan Glerum '75** Van Voorst of Gloversville, N.Y., is in her third year as the keyboard piano player "half" of the performing duo "Brass and Ivory." With the French hornist (who is the Music Department chair of the Gloversville School District) she has performed formal recitals, educational school assemblies, weddings and dinner meetings, and at civic organizations. Their repertoire spans horn/piano music from Baroque to Broadway, which, she notes, "provides an eclectic variety of unique program possibilities."

**Richard Blue E. Williams '75** runs his own small business consulting services in Albuquerque, N.M., and is currently under contract with Albuquerque Development Services to provide assistance in small business retention and recruitment for the city's South Valley. He is active in a number of community and civic organizations.

**Mike Carpenter '76** has just relocated to Denver, Colo., where he is director of technical services for VICORP Restaurants Inc. He is responsible for the development, training and installation of all restaurant technology, including personal computers, point of sale and phone systems.

**Pat Dwyer-Hallquist '76** of Oshkosh, Wis., left Appleton Papers early this year to spend more time with her family. She has started a home business to write back-of-book indexes for science books.

**Bolt Moore '76** is the director for Campus Crusade for Christ in Serbia. He, his wife and three children have lived and worked as missionaries in Europe for nine years, the past six in Yugoslavia. They work with students and alongside local churches proclaiming the gospel of Christ.

**Becky Porter '77** Athay of San Jose, Calif., is a business consultant with Hewlett Packard in the Silicon Valley.

**Robert Elliott '77** of Ballwin, Mo., is a chemist and research group leader in the Discovery Synthesis Section for Monsanto Inc. He is also owner of J-KEM Scientific Inc., an electronics firm. He was

featured in the December, 1994, issue of *Today's Chemist at Work* for his work with J-KEM, and the story noted that his interest in electronics began with a physics laboratory he took while a Hope student.

**Jerry Johnson '77** has joined the staff at Peace Reformed Church in Eagan, Minn.

**Eric Niewoehner '77** of Columbia, Mo., is a system analyst for the Department of Internal Medicine, University of Missouri Hospital and Clinics.

**Abigail Woodby '77** Searls is a fourth grade teacher at Roosevelt School in Zeeland, Mich.; a leader in Girl Scouting; involved in Holland Community Theatre; and very active in First United Methodist Church in Holland, Mich.

**Joel Kimball "Kim" Spalsbury '77** of Grand Ledge, Mich., has been a teacher/coach at Fowler High School for the last 15 years, is a member of the City of Grand Ledge Cable TV Commission and is director of the Grand Ledge Summer Rec. Track Program. He was a member of the Michigan Interscholastic Track Coaches Association executive committee from 1990 to 1993, has been a representative to the Michigan High School Coaches Association since 1992, and coached American high school track and field athletes in Europe in 1993 and 1994.

**Rick Van der Meulen '77** is president and co-owner of Van Der Meulen's Fine Finishers in Holland, Mich.

**Bill Blacquiere '78** of Byron Center, Mich., has retired from coaching football at Hudsonville High School to spend more time with his family. He is still vice principal at the school. He coached football for nine years.

**Marc Brinks '78** is managing the new North Carolina office of Alliance Capital Ventures.

**Bob Niedt '78** of Syracuse, N.Y., completed his second season coaching soccer at Skaneateles, N.Y., High School. He also coaches youth recreational indoor and outdoor soccer and still holds down his "real" jobs, as a father of four and as a journalist for the *Syracuse Herald-Journal* and the *Herald American*.

**Leah Brower-Lough '79** and husband **Alan Lough '80** of Arlington, Va., report that they "are a classic two-career couple. We have enjoyed extensive travel and are currently living happily in the nation's capital."

**Adelia Decker '79** of Ferndale, Mich., is completing her 14th year as a Department of Social Services foster care worker for abused and neglected children.

**Jeff DeVree '79** of Grandville, Mich., has been elected president and chair of the board of directors of Baxter Community Center, a non-profit community service organization providing a Christian response to human needs in the Baxter Street neighborhood of Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Glenn Freisatz '79** of Schenectady, N.Y., is with the Department of Criminal Justice, Division of Services, Bureau of Identification and Criminal History Operations in Albany, N.Y.

### 1980s

**Samuel Aidala '80** of Ossining, N.Y., is a first grade teacher at Pleasantville (N.Y.) U.F.S.D.

**Steve Bredeweg '80** is a full-time swim instructor at the Holland (Mich.) Community Pool, and coach of the Holland Christian High School swim team.

**Keith Brinks '80** of Havertown, Pa., is general partner/owner of Alliance Capital Ventures in Ardmore, Pa. In January the company opened a North Carolina office, which his brother Marc Brinks '78 is managing.

**James DeJulio '80** of Overland Park, Kan., has received the professional designations of CLU (Charter Life Underwriter) and ChFC (Charter Financial Consultant).

**Janis Lundeen '80** DeVree has been elected to the

Board of Education of the Grandville (Mich.) Public Schools, winning more than 50 percent of the vote in a three-candidate race.

**Ann Moored '80** DeYoung of Coopersville, Mich., and **Sandra VanderBilt '85** Bajema are working on "Outcomes for Gifted Learners," a curriculum guide to establish high-level, rigorous goals for high ability students.

**Susan Schuurmans '80** Eby of Washington, D.C., reports that she is busy caring for two young boys, volunteering for her church and working part-time as a freelance writer.

**Craig Groendyk '80** has been promoted to vice president and general manager of the Sioux Falls, S.D., division of CCL Label Inc. CCL is an international printer of labels and printed products.

**Beth Bischoff '80** Marrie of Swampscott, Mass., is working for Marblehead/Swampscott YMCA, teaching nursery school, water aerobics and pre-school swimming lessons. She has been snowplowing with her husband Bob for the last nine years. Their children are Kaitlyn, eight; Kevin, six; and Melissa, five.

**Robert Miller Jr. '80** has taken a position as senior mixer/sound designer with Producers Color Service of Southfield, Mich., after having been in Chicago, Ill., for 20 years.

**Ronni Nivala '80** of Holland, Mich., has been promoted to director of management information systems at Manpower, Zeeland, Mich.

**Todd Stone '80** of Arnold, Mo., is a senior chemist II with Petrolite Corp., and was recently appointed to technical support for hydrogen sulfide scavengers. He has traveled extensively to China, Egypt, Malaysia and Indonesia in connection with his work.

**Sheryl Busman '80** VanderWagen of Coopersville, Mich., is director of the Georgetown (Mich.) Township Library, and is president of the board of the Lakeland Library Cooperative, a cooperative of public libraries in nine counties in western Michigan. She has been appointed to the Christian Education Board of Southwest Evangelical Covenant Church of Hudsonville, Mich., and serves as director of family night activities.

**Jeffrey Welch '80** started a private law practice in Flint, Mich., in July of 1994. It is general practice, with emphasis in real estate, consumer, bankruptcy and family law.

**Kay Vossekuil '81** Block and husband Dave of Three Lakes, Wis., have been building a support team for an upcoming three-year ministry in Lima, Peru. They are "Apprentice in Mission" (AIM) appointees with the Evangelical Free Church Mission, and planning to depart for Lima this month, to work in children's ministries and discipleship work with young couples.

**Joanne Blodee '81** Collier is living in Singapore with her two daughters and husband Greg.

**Philip Johnson '81** of East Grand Rapids, Mich., after six years working as a sportscaster with the Grand Rapids NBC affiliate (WOOD TV 8), is now an account executive for W-Light radio station.

**Carol Bechtel '81** Reynolds of Holland, Mich., is an associate professor of Old Testament at Western Theological Seminary.

**William Hoekstra '82** of Bryn Mawr, Pa., has been promoted to "principal scientist" at R.W. Johnson Pharmaceutical Research Institute in Spring House, Pa.

**Diane Williams '82** Perry of Aurora, Colo., has a new daughter (see "births"), and has been home schooling her nine-year-old, teaching "Mom's Day Out" at Galilee Baptist Church and starting a new 4-H club (with two other leaders).

**Beth Dokter '82** Smith has started her own software consulting business, "Breakthrough Systems," in West Michigan. She specializes in material handling and factory automation applications.

**Timothy Taylor '82** of Zeeland, Mich., has accepted a position with the law firm of Van Dam & Jesson P.C.





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**Rich Burrell '83** was named a regional coach of the year by the Michigan High School Football Coaches Association. Pre-season predictions said the Lake Orion Dragons would be .500 and place third in their league. Instead, they won their league championship, went 7-2 and qualified for the playoffs.

**Michele Serrette '83 Molnar** of Flemington, N.J., is a software QA engineer with Mentor Graphics Corporation in the IC Division in Warren, N.J.

**Mary Gaffney '84 Reohr** of Hillsboro, Ore., teaches K-1 in Beaverton. She and husband Dick are building a house, which he designed. The house will sit atop a hill and have a view of five major mountains.

**Janet Meyer '84 Vincent** is a minister in South Bound Brook, N.J.

**James Byington '85** of Dearborn, Mich., was promoted to senior manager of credit administration at Michigan's largest credit union.

**Marnie Marsters '85 Lamberson** of Glen Ridge, N.J., has been promoted to communications officer for First Fidelity Bancorporation's Public Relations department, located in Newark, N.J.

**Jeff McGooky '85** is a software engineer with Smiths Industries in Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Jean Van Dussen '85 Wold** of Lowell, Mich., is a physical therapist at Amicare Home Healthcare in Grand Rapids, Mich. In June of 1994 she moved into a new home—husband Eric's first "Parade" home.

**Steve Cramer '86** is commander of the U.S. Army Recruiting Company-Fargo, N.D., responsible for North Dakota and western Minnesota.

**Fitch Hasbrouck '86** of Grandville, Mich., coaches

volleyball at Allendale (Mich.) High School. He also works at Holland Litho Service.

**Andrea Mainardi '86** works for *Telepio*, Italy's leading pay television, as marketing director of *Tele +2*, which transmits only sports ("Like ESPN in the U.S.," he reports).

**Gwen Miller '86** graduated from the Film and Video Certificate Program through University of Washington Extension in June of 1994. She was set dresser and propertymaster for the feature film *Deadline*, assistant art director and second assistant camera for the short *Traveling Through Fear*, and art director for the music video "Helicoptering" by Crawfish Nat'l Tongue. Currently, she is assistant producer for a soap opera parody, *Yesler Way*. She has a green belt in kung fu, and still works at Raindrops Gallery when there is time.

**Meg Miller '86** of Jenison, Mich., has been promoted to manager of the special events and conference planning division of Seyferth and Associates, a Grand Rapids, Mich., public relations firm. She is responsible for developing, coordinating and supervising corporate sponsorships, seminars, meetings and conferences, special events and fundraisers, as well as handling media for all division events.

**Chris Pinderski '86** recently received his Board Certification in Emergency Medicine from the American Board of Emergency Medicine, and is a partner in the group Emergency Physicians of Indianapolis. He is also on the teaching staff for the Emergency Department at Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis, and continues as a part-time flight physician for their helicopter air ambulance, Lifeline.

**Lisa Hart '86 Xilas** of Highland Park, Ill., is a compensation and benefits analyst for Comerica Bank.

**Karin Gardlund '87 Cramer** is customer care manager for Great Plains Cellular, Fargo, N.D.

**Andrea Crossman '87** of Holland, Mich., has earned the Graduate, Realtor Institute (GRI) designation. The GRI program was designed to advance real estate professionals by keeping them current on important topics in order to better serve their prospective customers. Only 14 percent of the members of the Michigan Association of Realtors have earned the GRI designation. She has also been awarded the Accredited Buyer Representative designation by the Real Estate Buyer's Agent Council (REBAC), a national organization addressing all aspects of consumer representation in real estate transactions. Andrea is a sales associate with Woodland Realty Inc. in Holland.

**Mark De Witt '87** is an account representative for Data Base in Bensenville, Ill. Data Base specializes in the storage and security of offsite computer backups and magnetic media for larger companies in the Chicagoland area.

**David Dykema '87** of Toledo, Ohio, directs the 5 p.m. and 11 p.m. newscasts at WTOL-TV.

**Amy Hendrickson '87 Habben** has been promoted to associate director of admissions at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, Calif.

**David Heyboer '87** completed his residency in internal medicine at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids, Mich., in June of 1994, and is board certified in internal medicine. He has joined the internal medicine practice associated with Blodgett Memorial Medical Center. The hospital is in Grand Rapids; his office is in Grandville, Mich.

**David Hofman '87** in November began post-doctoral research at the Argonne National Laboratory near Chicago, Ill.

**Nancy Kulier '87** from January through the summer of 1995 is working in Treasury Operations for United Technologies Corp. in Working, England (London area). Previously, she was associated with the Carrier Company, a subsidiary of UT Corp., in the Hartford and Syracuse facilities.

**Cindy Hollenbeck '87 Petersen** of Lansing, Mich., is now a certified tennis pro through the United States Professional Tennis Registry (USPTR), and

has been competing in the Midwest district for the past two years. She plans to defend her thesis in the fall for a doctorate in biochemistry from Michigan State University.

**Amy Reisterer '87 Preston** has accepted a position with Battle Creek Kellogg Company (corporate headquarters) as a fitness specialist.

**Martha Vander Kolk '87** has co-edited the book *The Internet Compendium: Guides to Resources by Subject* with Louis Rosenfeld (Argus Associates) and Joseph Janes (School of Information and Library Studies, University of Michigan) due out early this year from Neal-Schuman Publishers. The book is a compilation of some of the guides found in the "Clearinghouse for Subject-Oriented Internet Resource Guides" on the University of Michigan gopher. Included are guides listing Internet resources on aerospace engineering, health sciences, journalism, popular music, religion, theatre (which Martha co-authored with Deborah Torres), philosophy, political science, library science, law, employment and other subjects.

**Michael Bey '88** has a one-year research fellowship in orthopaedic biomechanics at the Steadman-Hawkins Sports Medicine Foundation in Vail, Colo.

**Chris Adams '88** is in his second year in the marriage and family therapy master's program at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, Calif.

**David Kortering '88** is attending Cooley Law School.

**Jocelyn Jonikas '88 O'Brien** of Hayward, Calif., is a financial controller and owns her own bookkeeping and tax business.

**April Adams '88 Rollins** of Leesburg, Va., has just had a baby (see "births"), and wrote in December, "Our first is just 18 months, so I've been quite busy. I decided with our first to stay at home with the children and, as I'm sure many alumni will agree, being a full-time stay-at-home mom has tremendous rewards, for which I'm very grateful."

**William Stumpf '88** is president and chief executive officer of Wolverine Metal Stamping Inc. of St. Joseph, Mich.

**Tom Becker '89** and wife Dora are Apprentice in Mission (AIM) appointees with the Evangelical Free Church Mission, planning to leave for the Czech Republic in August.

**Tim Wheeler '89** of Wixom, Mich., was recently promoted to the position of NAPA Auto Parts marketing manager. He is employed by Federal-Mogul Corporation.

### 1990s

**Verna Bond-Broderick '90**, after completing concurrent master's degrees in business and arts administration, is now living and working in New York City, where she is the general manager of Jean Cocteau Repertory, a highly-acclaimed off-Broadway classical theatre company.

**Kim Carleen '90**, who has worked as a registered nurse for the past four years on a surgical unit at Evanston (Ill.) Hospital, has recently moved to Augusta, Ga., where she is a nurse at St. Joseph Hospital. On May 14, 1993, she was initiated into Sigma Theta Tau, national nursing honor society, at Calvin College in Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Brian Smit '90** of Grandville, Mich., is working for Ernst and Young LLP, Grand Rapids office) as a senior consultant in the health care and management practice.

**Susanne Baker '90 Smit** of Grandville, Mich., is working for Arthur Andersen LLP, Grand Rapids office, as a senior in the audit division.

**Andrew Stewart '90** of St. Paul, Minn., was promoted to territory supervisor, overseeing the states of Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota for PIA Merchandising Co. of Irvine, Calif.

**Kelly Stratil '90** is the band director at the Decatur, Mich., schools. She has five classes with more than

125 students, including a high school marching band, junior high band, a choir of 25 students in grades seven-12, a beginning band program for seventh and eighth graders, and a new sixth grade band program.

**Tina Mann '90 Wheeler** of Wixom, Mich., has been promoted to audit manager for Deloitte & Touche. **Scott Bossard '91** recently received his juris doctor degree (please see "Advanced Degrees") and in July of 1994 passed the Florida Bar Exam.

**M. Timothy Gergely '91** recently completed his juris doctor degree (please see "Advanced Degrees"); passed the July, 1994, bar exam; and is now practicing law with his father and brother Christopher '88 in Kalamazoo, Mich.

**Karen Looman '91** is a member of the first-year class of Kirksville (Mo.) College of Osteopathic Medicine, which awarded her a Dean's scholarship to recognize her academic excellence.

**William Meengs Jr. '91** has received his law degree (see "advanced degrees") and is employed with Plunkett & Cooney P.C. in the Petoskey, Mich., office.

**Keith Schuring '91** is a first lieutenant with the U.S. Marine Corps. He has returned from a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean Sea and Indian Ocean with the 26th Marine Expeditionary Unit while assigned to the USS Guam Amphibious Ready Group.

**William Teichert '91** of Muncie, Ind., is pursuing a master's in TESOL (teaching English to speakers of other languages) at Ball State University.

**Laura Wyss '91** of New York City was one of three artists chosen for the Jan. 14 - Feb. 11 group exhibition "New Portrait Photography" at the ISE ART FOUNDATION. Her works in the exhibition are based on her own portrait, and express the visual study of light, color and the body, as well as an in-depth exploration of herself.

**Scott Beckwith '92** has accepted a position as director of youth sports for the Clallam County Family YMCA in Port Angeles, Wash.

**Dawn DeYoung '92 De Witt** is a third-year student at Northwestern Medical School in Chicago, Ill. Dawn has just finished her clinical rotation in surgery and started a rotation in OB/GYN in January.

**Andrea Escorcia '92** in August began working as an art coordinator in the Corporate Finance Group at JP Morgan Securities in New York City.

**Adam Kunkel '92** of Holland, Mich., has earned the Graduate, Realtor Institute (GRI) designation. The GRI program was designed to advance real estate professionals by keeping them current on important topics in order to better serve their prospective customers. Only 14 percent of the Michigan Association of Realtors's membership has earned the GRI designation. Adam is with Woodland Realty Inc. in Holland.

**Jillian Mulder '92** of New Paltz, N.Y., has completed her first year of graduate school, and is working toward an MFA in sculpture at the State University of New York at New Paltz. She has been selected as the graduate assistant in the instruction of basic sculpture for the spring semester, and her sculpture work has also been chosen for the "Faculty Selects" Exhibition at the University Gallery this March.

**Ann Zomer '92 Nabozny** of Kalamazoo, Mich., is a behavior specialist with the Kalamazoo public schools.

**Jeananne Engelbert '92 Reich** is a substance abuse counselor for adolescents in Muncie, Ind.

**Cami Reister '92** started a three-month, full-time internship at the *Muskegon (Mich.) Chronicle* on December 12. Since completing a master's degree in journalism (please see "Advanced Degrees"), she has also been a freelance writer for both the *Grand Rapids Press* and the *Muskegon Chronicle*.

**Brad Votava '92** of Fort Collins, Colo., is pursuing a master's degree in remote sensing from the College of Natural Resources at Colorado State University.

## December '94 graduation honors

### SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Heidi B. DeWolf, Fargo, N.D.

### MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Angela D. DeGraaf, Kentwood, Mich.  
Anna Dillivan, Holland, Mich.  
Rebecca L. Gildea, South Haven, Mich.  
Norman B. Jolin Jr., Williamston, Mich.  
Mary L. Leary, Holland, Mich.  
Melinda K. Nagelkerk, Holland, Mich.  
Debra A. Remington, Niles, Mich.  
Heather J. VanLangevelde, Holland, Mich.  
Sharon Leigh Wayner, Holland, Mich.

### CUM LAUDE

Andrew Ball, Holland, Mich.  
Christopher R. Bishop, Grand Rapids, Mich.  
Sarahjoy Rowan Crewe, Holland, Mich.  
Deborah C. Davis, Bradley, Ill.  
Kerri-Sue DeWitt, Holland, Mich.  
Derek I. Dykstra, Macomb, Ill.  
Jill L. Jepsen, Grand Haven, Mich.  
Richard Kamasinski Jr., Grand Rapids, Mich.  
Lucy C. Korpi, West Olive, Mich.  
Abbie-Jo Ming, Holland, Mich.  
Elizabeth J. Pither, Northbrook, Ill.  
Ann C. Samuelson, Plymouth, Mich.  
Hidemichi Tomura, Japan  
Angela M. Tracy, Holland, Mich.  
Kerri L. VandenBerg, Grand Rapids, Mich.  
Eric S. Wolthuis, Holland, Mich.





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Homecoming Weekend, Fall '95)



### ANNUAL UPDATE!

The 1993-94 *Milestone* yearbooks were made available for mailing, and subsequently sent out, in January. If you didn't order a copy but would like one, please send \$33 (and your name and address) to: Alumni Office; Hope College; 141 E. 12th St.; PO Box 9000; Holland, MI 49422-9000.

**Craig Toomayan '93** is an ENG photojournalist and master control operator at Vision Cable in Palisades Park, N.J. He works on a cable news program shooting stories in the field, and with the cameras in the television studio. He also works in Master Control, which is where all the programs on two cable channels originate. He is responsible for putting them on the air at the right time, and keeping track of them in a log for the FCC.

**Meredith Downer '94** is living in Chicago, Ill., and teaching parenting and living/social skills to mothers recovering from drug addiction within the Haymarket/Maryville treatment center.

**Christa Haas '94** of Magantown, W.Va., is currently working for Americorps on a community and economic development project.

**Chad Haverdink '94** has been named branch manager of Ottawa Savings Bank's Hamilton, Mich., office.

**Lisa Rosenthal '94** completed the management training program for Harbor Wear Inc. in October of 1994 and is now employed with the company's central office in Charlevoix, Mich.

**Rachel Stauffer '94** is a communications coordinator in the Marketing Communications department at Haworth Inc. in Holland, Mich.

**Tiffany Steffen '94** of Woodstock, Ill., is teaching German at Crystal Lake (Ill.) Central High School.

**Danielle Zurchauer '90** and **Kevin Burke '91**, Oct. 1, 1994, Holland, Mich.

**Deborah DeFrancesco '91** and **Scott Lone '92**, May 28, 1994, Livonia, Mich.

**Cynthia Phelps '91** and **David Miller**, July 23, 1994.

**Randall Baron '92** and **Kathryn Kolean '94**, Sept. 30, 1994, Zeeland, Mich.

**Kory Boeve '92** and **Heidi Praamsma '93**, July 1, 1994, Holland, Mich.

**Jeananne Engelbert '92** and **Craig Reich**, Nov. 19, 1994, Lebanon, Ind.

**Lisa Fisher '92** and **Kurt Genova**, Aug. 12, 1992, Ann Arbor, Mich.

**Brent Hisgen '92** and **Catherine Johnson**, July, 1994, Maui, Hawaii.

**Steven Hoek '92** and **Christine Humes '93**, Oct. 1, 1994, St. Joseph, Mich.

**Jennifer Kapusinski '92** and **Steven Langheld**, July 23, 1994, Mason, Mich.

**Brian Kruithof '92** and **Tara Compagner '94**, Sept. 16, 1994.

**Marcy Rottman '92** and **Anthony Comden**, Aug. 12, 1994, Fremont, Mich.

**Andrea Schregardus '92** and **Brad Votava '92**, Nov. 26, 1994.

**Patrick Cunningham '93** and **Dina Garcia '93**, July 23, 1994.

**Clinton Long '93** and **Kristin Shields**, June 25, 1994, Grand Haven, Mich.

**Linda Maxam '93** and **Chris Turkstra '93**, Oct. 1, 1994, Spring Lake, Mich.

**Ryan McFall '93** and **Leanne Vande Bunte '93**, Dec. 30, 1994, Byron Center, Mich.

**Kristin Sikkenga '93** and **Jeremy Zadel**, Dec. 17, 1994, Muskegon, Mich.

**Katherine Vickers '93** and **Thompson Faller II**, Nov. 12, 1994.

**Pamela S. Shippy '94** and **Wesley T. White '94**, June 11, 1994, Holland, Mich.

**Ted Johnson '82** and **Pam Wright '83 Johnson**, Eric Thomas, Aug. 6, 1993.

**Mary Soeter '82 Keppeler** and **Thomas Keppeler**, James Garretson Keppeler, April 9, 1994.

**Debbie Gysbers '82 Landes** and **Brian Landes**, Samuel Joseph, Oct. 12, 1994.

**Diane Williams '82 Perry** and **Steve Perry**, Bethany Rose, Jan. 11, 1994.

**Tim Schipper '82** and **Barbara Schipper**, Cara Ashni, adopted, arrival date Sept. 13, 1994.

**Jon Veldman '82** and **Lynn Bufe '82 Veldman**, Monica Anne, Oct. 13, 1994.

**Peter VanEenenaam '83** and **Dacia VanZanten '85 VanEenenaam**, Sarah Smith VanEenenaam, Feb. 16, 1994.

**Janet Hoffman '84 Kragt** and **James Kragt**, Jessica Lynn, Nov. 7, 1994.

**Janet Meyer '84 Vincent** and **Douglas Vincent**, Ian Thomas, Nov. 3, 1994.

**James Bos '85** and **Karen Becker '86 Bos**, Connor James, Nov. 21, 1994.

**James Byington '85** and **Christine Damstra '87 Byington**, Jeremy James, May 21, 1994.

**Kathy Metzger '85 MacGregor** and **Matt MacGregor '85**, Meghan Anne, Oct. 16, 1994.

**Jane Patterson '85 McGookey** and **Jeff McGookey '86**, Michael James, Oct. 30, 1994.

**Jean Van Dussen '85 Wold** and **Eric Wold**, Rachel, May 25, 1993; Kelsey, May 15, 1994.

**Randy Schregardus '86** and **Wendy Hunt '87 Schregardus**, Erin Kate, April 15, 1994.

**Douglas Beck '87** and **Shannon Parks-Beck**, Ivalee Kate Parks Beck, May 14, 1994.

**Mark McNally '87** and **Barbara McNally**, Ellen Maureen, June 1, 1994.

**Rich Ryzenga '87** and **Amy Chappellear '88 Ryzenga**, Braden Richard, Dec. 8, 1993.

**Sigrid Heuser '88 Cohen** and **Howard Cohen**, Amanda Heuser Cohen and Alexander Heuser Cohen, Sept. 15, 1994.

**Cathy Minger '88 Merrifield** and **James Merrifield**, Caleb James, Nov. 4, 1994.

**April Adams '88 Rollins** and **Tom Rollins**, Richmond Adams, Dec. 12, 1994.

**Tom Becker '89** and **Dora Becker**, Matthew,

Aug. 17, 1994.

**Jennifer Thompson '89 McGuffin** and **James McGuffin**, Jacob James, Sept. 27, 1993.

**Tim Wheeler '89** and **Tina Mann '90 Wheeler**, Grant Timothy, Oct. 17, 1994.

### Advanced Degrees

**Dee Dee Drake '59 Meeusen**, bachelor's of science degree in special education, Empire State College, State University of New York.

**John Hood '59**, doctor of ministry, Ashland Theological Seminary, May, 1994.

**Richard Blue E. Williams '75**, doctor of philosophy in business administration, Century University of Albuquerque, N.M.

**Joan VanderKooi '78 Agre**, master's degree in music, College-Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati, June, 1994.

**Kathy Wedemeyer '82 Zini**, master's degree in reading, December, 1994.

**Tom Park '83**, MBA, University of Michigan, December, 1994.

**David Hofman '87**, doctorate in nuclear physics, State University of New York (SUNY) at Stony Brook, July, 1994.

**Amy Reisterer '87 Preston**, master of arts, exercise science, Western Michigan University, August, 1994.

**Martha Vander Kolk '87**, master's degree in information and library studies, University of Michigan, April, 1994.

**Michael Bey '88**, master of science, biomedical engineering, University of California-Davis, June, 1994.

**Verna Bond-Broderick '90**, MBA, University of Cincinnati, June, 1994; MA, arts administration, College-Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati, June, 1994.

**Steve Hicks '90**, master of arts in sport administration, Western Michigan University, December, 1993.

**Scott Bossard '91**, juris doctor, University of

### Marriages

**Warren Eickelberg '49** and **Marilyn Kellogg Banks**, Nov. 19, 1994, Philadelphia, Pa.

**William Grunden '53** and **Betty Cheever**, March 5, 1994.

**Allen Heneveld '75** and **Nina**, March 26, 1994.

**Samuel Noordhoff '80** and **Stacy Hall**, Oct. 29, 1994.

**Philip Johnson '81** and **Michelle Miller**, Aug. 13, 1994, Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Michele Serrette '83** and **George Molnar**, Feb. 29, 1992, Sarasota, Fla.

**Tammy Nothdurft '84** and **Mark Walters**, Aug. 20, 1994.

**Scott Vande Vorde '84** and **Dawn Dozeman**, Nov. 12, 1994.

**Lisa Hart '86** and **Andrew Xilas**, June 13, 1992.

**Patti Vanderzee '86** and **Todd Kelderhouse**, May 21, 1994.

**Matthew Brown '87** and **Maria Steflik**, Sept. 3, 1994, Old Lyme, Conn.

**Mark De Witt '87** and **Dawn DeYoung '92**, July 16, 1994, Homewood, Ill.

**David Dykema '87** and **Caris Rockey**, June 25, 1994.

**David Heyboer '87** and **Kathleen Ver Wys**, Oct. 30, 1993.

**Jocelyn Jonikas '88** and **Joseph O'Brien**, Oct. 15, 1994, Burlingame, Calif.

**Thomas Riekse Jr. '88** and **Diana Appelhof**, Sept. 3, 1994, Benzonia, Mich.

**Nathan Wynsma '89** and **Rebecca Rose**, Oct. 1, 1994, Holland, Mich.

**Brian Andrews '90** and **Jennifer Payette '92**, Jan. 7, 1995.

**Brian Smit '90** and **Susanne Baker '90**, Oct. 1, 1994, Jamestown, Mich.

**Debra Vliem '90** and **Daniel Braak**, July 9, 1994, Kalamazoo, Mich.

### Births

**Dorothy Telfer '72 Duncan** and **Greg Duncan**, Paul Raymond, April 23, 1994.

**Cathleen Work '73 Draper** and **Henry Draper**, Gabrielle Anne, born Nov. 3, 1990, adopted Dec. 12, 1994.

**J.C. Huizenga '73** and **Laura Maatman '80 Huizenga**, David Kenton Harris Huizenga, April 24, 1994.

**David Johnson '73** and **Teresa Penhorwood '82 Johnson**, Blake Christian, Dec. 8, 1994.

**John Sloan '77** and **Amy Sloan**, Jenna Kathryn, Nov. 25, 1994.

**Thomas Maas '78** and **Cecilia Maas**, Trevor David, June 20, 1994.

**Lorie Shier '78** adopted **McKenna Ann Shen Fei** from Nanjing, China, on April 21, 1994.

**Audrey Veldman '78** and **Kim Wilson**, Nora Paige Veldman Wilson, Oct. 27, 1994.

**Cindy Petroelje '79 Eidem** and **Michael Eidem**, Matthew Thomas, Sept. 8, 1994.

**Nancy Roberts '80 Bryer** and **Thomas Bryer**, Erica Ann, Feb. 20, 1994.

**Karen Hoogerwerf '80 Cornelius** and **Stephen Cornelius**, Kevin Michael, Sept. 8, 1994.

**James DeJulio '80** and **Denise DeJulio**, Eric Nelson, Feb. 2, 1994.

**Julie Drozd '80 Gennaro** and **Thomas Gennaro**, Paul Michael, May 10, 1994.

**Carol Arnoldink '80 McCarthy** and **Timothy McCarthy**, Molly Ann, Sept. 10, 1994.

**Carol Springsteen '80** and **Robert Menville**, Jesse Ellen Menville, Jan. 11, 1994.

**Kay Vossekuil '81 Block** and **Dave Block**, Laura Marie, Aug. 26, 1994.

**Pam Bulthouse '81 Northuis** and **Mark Northuis '82**, Klare Jeanice, Jan. 20, 1994.

**Karl Droppers '82** and **Lori Visscher '83 Droppers**, Mara Jean, Oct. 25, 1994.

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William Meengs Jr. '91, juris doctor, University of Louisville School of Law, May 15, 1994.

Tracy Piasecki '92 Decker, master's in social work, University of Michigan, December, 1994.

Cami Reister '92, master's degree in journalism, Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern University, August, 1994.

Stephen Schalkhauser '92, master's degree in computer science, Michigan State University, August, 1994.

## Deaths

Word has been received of the death of **Thomas Beltman** '95 of Orange City, Iowa, who died on Saturday, Jan. 14, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

**James Beran** '75 died on Monday, Dec. 12, 1994, of cancer of the brain. He was 41.

Born on Sept. 30, 1953, he was the youngest child of Frank and Lucille Beran of Berwyn, Ill.

His degree from Hope was in psychology, philosophy and religion, with significant hours in music. He was president of Hope's Student Council in 1975, a resident advisor in Kollen Hall and a member of Hope's Chapel Choir. He participated in the college's May Terms in Washington, D.C., and the Middle East.

After graduating from Hope he taught English at Meiji Gakuin University in Tokyo, Japan, for a year and then attended Yale Divinity School in New Haven, Conn., graduating with a master's of divinity degree in 1979.

He worked in various capacities for Xerox, Atari, Pacific Telesis and Prodigy; in private consulting work; and most recently with Apple Computers in the development of the electronic superhighway.

He was buried in Hillside, Ill., on Friday, Dec. 16. Former roommates from Hope, Glenn Wagner,

Vaughn Maatman and Bob Luidens, all '75, participated in the service.

Memorials in his name include the Hope College Alumni Fund.

Survivors include his parents; his brother, Frank of Westmont, Ill.; two sisters, Carol Miller of Roselle, Ill., and Pat Weber of La Grange, Ill.; and two nieces and two nephews.

There will be a memorial held for him in Union Pier, Mich., tentatively scheduled for March 12. For additional information, please contact Dale Fletter or Stephen Paffrath '78, (312) 472-7922.

Word has been received of the death of **Arthur Bieri** '56 of Lowell, Mich., who died on Wednesday, Jan. 25, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

Word has been received of the death of **Ruth Bloodgood** '54 who died on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April Issue of *news from Hope College*.

Word has been received of the death of **Richard Caldwell** '52 who died on Saturday, Jan. 7, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April Issue of *news from Hope College*.

**Dora Lin** '63 Clark of West Chester, Pa., died on Sunday, July 19, 1992.

Survivors include her husband, Richard.

**Leonard De Moor** '24 of Hastings, Neb., died on Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1994. He was 92.

He was born on Nov. 26, 1902, in Kalamazoo, Mich., the son of Adrian and Johanna (Van Peenan) De Moor.

He was a Regent's scholar in history at the University of Michigan, where he received a master's degree. After graduating as valedictorian from Western Theological Seminary, he earned another master's

degree from the Divinity School at Harvard University and later a doctorate from Hartford Theological Seminary, from which he traveled to Marburg University in Germany for research as an exchange fellow in 1929-30. After retiring, he received an honorary doctorate from Hastings College.

He taught at Central College in Pella, Iowa, at Huron College in South Dakota and at Hope before teaching at Hastings College, where he was professor emeritus and chair of the Department of Philosophy and Sociology from 1946 to 1970. He was chair of the Department of Greek during his last four years at the college. He was also a visiting professor at the University of Saskatchewan.

As a minister, he served a pastorate from 1936 to 1940 in the North Blendon Reformed Church in Hudsonville, Mich., where he conducted services in both Dutch and English. Since 1926 he filled various vacant pulpits in Illinois, New Jersey, South Dakota, Kansas and throughout Nebraska from 1946 to 1989.

As a chaplain in the U.S. Army during World War II, he served in the Southwest Pacific with the 71st Evacuation Hospital. He continued in the Army Reserves and was later called into active service during the Cuban missile crisis. He retired from service as a lieutenant colonel in 1962.

From 1971 to 1976 he served as the director of Geriatric Social Work at the Good Samaritan Retirement Center in Hastings.

He was an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church and the Central Nebraska Presbytery, and attended the First Presbyterian Church in Hastings. He was an honorary member of the American Philosophical Association and American Sociological Society and Pi Kappa Delta, a national honorary forensic society.

His numerous publications that deal with the theological concept of revelation were published in Scotland, England and the United States.

He married Geneva Kamper on Aug. 16, 1928.

In addition to his wife, survivors include his children, Jean Bossing of Thousand Oaks, Calif., Patricia Ziomek of Athens, Ga., and Leonard de Moor of Casper, Wyo.; and a brother, Cornelius De Moor of Cleveland, Ohio.

**Howard DeYoung** '29 of Schaumburg, Ill., died on Saturday, Nov. 5, 1994. He was 88.

He was born on Feb. 18, 1906. He was a graduate of the University of Illinois, and was retired as vice president-engineering with Casualty Insurance Co.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; his children, Scott (Susan) and Joel (Chris); his grandchildren, Timothy, Ben and Anne; and siblings, Anne Fowler, James (Carol) and Charles DeYoung.

Word has been received of the death of **Robert P. Klein** '69 of Hawthorne, N.J., who died on Thursday, Jan. 26, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

Word has been received of the death of **Janet Shuptrine** '42 Marcus of Holland, Mich., who died on Friday, Jan. 20, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

**Doris Brower** '30 Muller of Sun City, Ariz., died on Thursday, Dec. 29, 1994, in Woodale Healthcare Center. She was 86.

Born in Holland, Mich., she was a member of Faith Presbyterian Church of Sun City and a former member of Third Reformed Church of Holland.

She graduated from Hope and Northwestern University, and taught high school in Holland. She moved to Arizona in 1984.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Virginia Zuidema of Estes Park, Colo.; five grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Word has been received of the death of **M. Robert Notier** '32 of Holland, Mich., who died on Wednesday, Jan. 11, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

Word has been received of the death of **Anne Buth** '31 Pott of Holland, Mich., who died on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

Word has been received of the death of **Abraham Rynbrandt** '22 who died on Friday, Feb. 3, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April Issue of *news from Hope College*.

Word has been received of the death of **Robert Scheerhom** '48 of Gaylord, Mich., who died on Friday, Jan. 6, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

**Sylvia Huxtable** '38 Tweedle of Portland, Ore., died on Sunday, Dec. 4, 1994, of heart failure. She was 82.

Born in Zeeland, Mich., on Oct. 27, 1912, she was the daughter of Henry and Alida (Heyboer) Huxtable. As a result of an early childhood affliction, she sustained a

severe hearing impairment and depended upon hearing aids and speech reading for most of her life.

She trained as a teacher of the deaf at Michigan State Normal School. She also undertook graduate studies at the University of Michigan and Iowa State University. During World War II she worked with war-deafened soldiers in San Francisco, Calif.

She later moved to Portland, where she served as the agency director for the Portland Center for Hearing and Speech from 1945 to 1950. Between 1950 and 1961 she served as a board member for the center, and from 1961 to 1981 she was an education and publications associate, initiating the publication "Hearsay" and directing the center's Deaf Pre-School Children's Program.

She devoted her life to improving education for the deaf and was the author of many articles on that subject. She pioneered the development of services for pre-school deaf children during the 1940s in Oregon, and worked with their parents.

In 1992, the Portland Center for Hearing and Speech presented her with an award recognizing her service to generations of children and the championing of the center's endowment fund. At the time of her death, she was an honorary member of the center's Board of Trustees.

She married Thomas W. Tweedle in 1950. He died in 1973.

Survivors include her brother, Lee Huxtable of Pinckney, Mich.; and stepdaughters, Marian Anderson of Chatham, Mass., and Norma Ballew of Indianapolis, Ind.

Word has been received of the death of **Jay Wabeke** '27 of Eastmanville, Mich., who died on Thursday, Feb. 2, 1995. Additional information will appear in the April issue of *news from Hope College*.

## Sympathy to

The family of **Florence Garvelink** of Holland, Mich., who died on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1995, at age 81. She had been employed in the food service department at Hope.

Survivors include her children, Bev and Jerry Lubbers of Holland, Marjorie and Howard Gras of Zeeland, Mich., William and Linda Garvelink of Falls Church, Va., and Susan and Paul Heinlein of Holland; five grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sisters, Marjorie De Pree, and Ella and Gerald Mannes, all of Holland; a brother, Harold and Reka De Pree of Holland; a sister-in-law, Lenore Garvelink of Holland; and several nieces and nephews.

The family of **Rebecca Mikle** of Holland, Mich., who died on Friday, Dec. 2, 1994.

She was the widow of M. Harold Mikle, former associate professor emeritus of communication and director of forensics (1962-73) at Hope, who died on Sept. 24, 1988.

Survivors include a brother, Myron Wirick of Ohio.

The family of **Marian Toren** of Chicago, Ill., who died on Thursday, Jan. 5, 1995.

Survivors include three brothers, Chester Toren '41 and Lucille Teninga '41 Toren of Lansing, Ill., George Toren '48 and Marian TerBorg '48 Toren of Maplewood, Minn., and James and Mary Toren of Haverford, Pa. A sister, Grace Toren '40, died on Tuesday, July 5, 1994.

The family of **Kristy White**, who died on Friday, Dec. 2, 1994, of a brain tumor. She was 20.

Survivors include her parents, Bob '66 and JoAnne Kemink '66 White, and a brother, Erik White '94, all of Schenectady, N.Y.

The family of **Charlotte Wierenger** of Spring Lake, Mich., who died on Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1995, in Grand Haven, Mich. She was 78.

She had been a head resident at Hope from 1967 to 1982, serving in Voorhees, Durfee and Phelps halls.

Survivors include her daughters, Marcia Sleeman of Kalamazoo, Mich., Betty Ritters of Muskegon, Mich., Janice and Dan Ernst of Holt, Mich., and Mary Warbasse of Grand Haven, Mich.; five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; a sister, Marian and Stanley Bentall of Kalamazoo; a brother, George and Nina Velders of Sarasota, Fla.; sisters- and brother-in-law, Dolores and Jack Jackson of Pocatello, Idaho, and Marion Herbert of Nashville, Tenn.; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by husbands Ted Slot and Robert Wierenger.

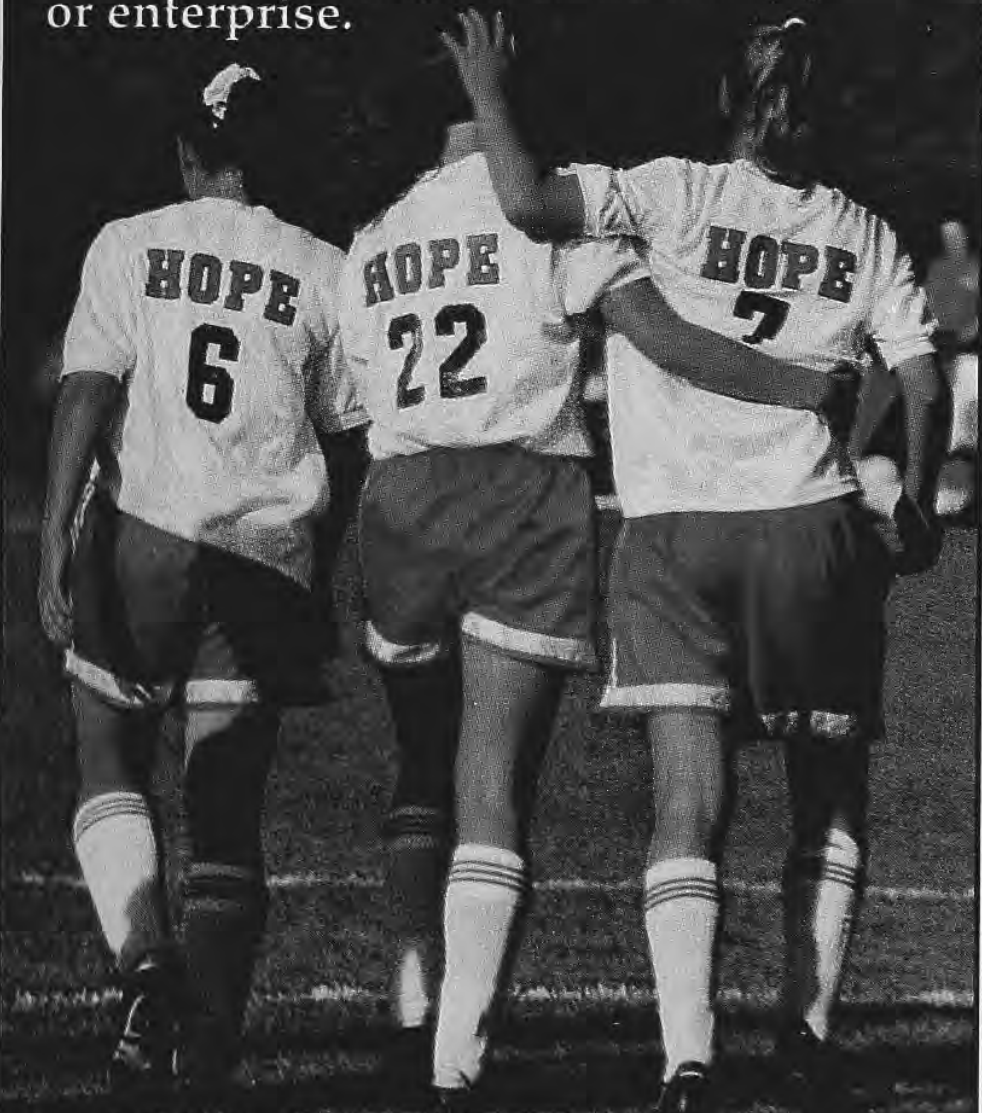
Memorial gifts in her memory may be made to Hope College.

The family of **Cynthia Yntema** of Pacific Grove, Calif., who died on Saturday, Dec. 17, 1994.

She was the widow of Dwight Yntema '26, former instructor in mathematics (1931-32) and professor emeritus of economics and business administration (1946-67) at Hope, who died on Aug. 23, 1980.

Survivors include a son, David Yntema '66.

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# A world at the fingertips

**Engineering students at Hope don't just start at the ground floor, they create it.**

The ground floor, and maybe the second floor, too. Or perhaps the space shuttle. Or a bicycle brake.

Enrolled in the college's Computer Aided Design (CAD) laboratory, which is the first engineering laboratory that engineering majors take outside of the regular physics sequence, the students design—and often animate—a three-dimensional object. Working with SDRC's "Integrated-Design Engineering Analysis Software" (I-DEAS), they are limited only by their imaginations.

"We turn the students loose," said Dr. Carl Luchies, an assistant professor of engineering. "We teach them how to use the package and some basic concepts, and then we say, 'Okay, it's time to work on your term project.'"

"It's amazing the things that they come up with," he said.

Some students recreate already-existing objects; others design new ones. Their inspiration varies.

Kari Liljehorn of Des Plaines, Ill., a junior who is majoring in both physics and art, drew upon Legos, a creative building toy she has enjoyed since childhood. She identified a piece that she wished existed but didn't, and used the software to create it—and then "designed in" some standard pieces so that she could see how it looked in context. "It was neat to see how it could work with real Lego pieces," she said.

"I just got started in scuba diving," recalled junior Joe Stam of Holland, Mich., who crafted a regulator—an item upon which, he noted, his life depends while diving. "It gave me an opportunity to actually learn something about the scuba regulator," he said.

Sophomore Lina Doan of Charlevoix, Mich., was fidgeting with her key chain while considering what sort of object to feature. She noticed the Swiss army knife that was attached to it—and her project idea was born. "It was neat to find out how it worked," she said. "I just had a lot of fun with it, and it boosted my interest in engineering."

Although the one-credit course earns high marks for being enjoyable, it isn't easy. Estimates for the amount of time spent working at the computer on the projects ranged as high as 70 hours.

Dr. Luchies feels, though, that it is time well spent. "Computer aided engineering is a very basic tool that engineers use," he said. "In addition, they're not only learning the tool, but also probably having their first experience with the idea of design."

"The other thing we really emphasize in all these projects is that they present some of the engineering aspects of the designing or building of whatever they're working on,"

said Dr. Darryl Thelen, an assistant professor of engineering.

"What are the engineering concerns in manufacturing a bicycle?" for example.

"How do different materials affect performance? We really stress the engineering side of it."

The lessons, both professors noted, will serve the students well—first as they continue in the college's engineering program, including in a senior level, three-credit design course that also uses the I-DEAS software; and later as they pursue their careers after Hope. ✎

A sampling of student Computer Aided Design projects. Clockwise from the bottom left are: a forklift by sophomore Joel Nemes of Jenison, Mich.; a Swiss army knife by sophomore Lina Doan of Charlevoix, Mich.; a Lego creation by junior Kari Liljehorn of Des Plaines, Ill.; and a pressure regulator by junior Joe Stam of Holland, Mich.

